



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

June 1, 1956

[Redacted]

1111 West Street
New York 7, New York

Dear [Redacted]:

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that you furnish listings for the following telephone numbers:

LY 6-9088
MO 8-6663

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

James J. Kelly
JAMES J. KELLY
Special Agent in Charge

DECLASSIFIED BY SP8AUM/lmt
ON 8/15/2000
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DIRECTOR, FBI (105-33261)

6/4/56

SAC, NEW YORK (105-10615)

NATIONALIST PARTY
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Re NY letter, 5/23/56.

Enclosed herewith are 5 copies of a blank memorandum re [redacted] as requested by the Justice Department.

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Information therein was received from the Philadelphia [redacted] 5/24/56 and the investigation was conducted by [redacted] A. SMITH.

Bureau (105-33261) (Encl. 5) (RM)
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New York, New York

June 4, 1956

Re:

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T-2 referred to in the report of Special Agent
 dated December 27, 1954, at New York,

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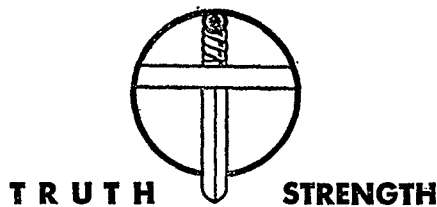
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Dear Sir(s);

6.5.56

I am with an organization and we would like to have a list of subversive organizations. We have been mistaken for two subversive organizations.

We are proud to say we are NATIONALISTS, not to be mistaken for the American Nationalist Party or the American Christian party.

The organization I am with is called the Nationalist Youth League of the UNITED STATES. We have been investigated by the police and have and have been NON SUBVERSIVE.

We would appreciate it very much if you would send us two lists of these subversive organizations.

thank you very much for giving this letter your attention.

for the Nationalist youth league

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REGARDING "POLITICS"

Pro-Nationalism, with Friendly Relations.

Anti-Internationalism and Interventionism with Entangling Alliances.

We prefer Nationalistic "Isolation" to Internationalistic "Assimilation". And we hope "the South" now realizes they weaken their case for States Rights "Nationalism" at home (including RIGHT of segregation) by supporting "Internationalism" and "Interventionism" abroad as they have in the past.

REGARDING "RACE"

Pro-Natural Segregation Allowing only Natural Assimilation.

Anti-Forced Integration and Forced Assimilation with Resulting Forced Mongrelization.

REGARDING "CREED"

Pro-Christianism and Tolerant of Non-Christianism.

Anti-All Forms of Anti-Christianism — whether Stalinist, Trotzkyite, Marxist, Pharisaic, Talmudic, Rabbinistic, Zionist, or Judaistic Brands.

We are not against anyone because of his "race" or "color", but we sure might be against someone because of his "creed". It depends on what his "creed" is!

Therefore, we are not "anti-semitic" (racial term) but we are "anti-Jewish" (creed term) to the extent that "Judaism" is "anti-Christian".

Hence, we are anti "some Jews", not because of their "race", but because of what "some Jews" creed is, and what "some Jews" DO. The trouble is that these "some Jews" do what they do in the name of ALL Jews. Therefore, almost all Jews tend to get the blame eventually — except those that openly oppose these "some Jews".



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June 7th, 1956

[Redacted] Special Agent
Federal Bureau of Investigation
201 East 69th Street
New York, N.Y.

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Subject: West Hooker.

Dear [Redacted]:

On March 20, 1956, [Redacted]
[Redacted] of the Anti-Defamation League heard the
tape recording of West Hooker's March 3, 1956
meeting and was told that the FBI had a copy.

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This afternoon [Redacted] of the Anti-Defamation
League telephoned me to ask whether he could
borrow the recording "to make a copy for our
files." I told him I would check with the FBI.

What's your pleasure?

Sincerely yours,



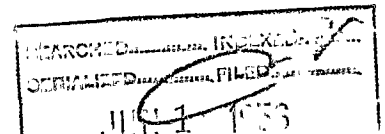
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*Ack. telephonically
No answer this morn.
You #1*

*[Redacted] telephonically advised on 6/12/56
that we would not answer as above.
He said he probably would not furnish it.*

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[REDACTED] indicated on May 23, 1956, that the National Renaissance Party has opened its new headquarters at 354 E. 83rd St., NYC. He said that WEST HOOKER had originally stated that they would sell electrical items at this store but as yet there is nothing in this store except literature.

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This informant said that since this store opened that a great many police officers had stopped in looking for violations and advised HOOKER that they did not desire any trouble from this establishment.

The informant added that the front of this store had the name Nationalist Youth League and that literature exhibited in the window indicated that this organization was cooperating with the Negro Nationalist Youth League at 3802 3rd Ave. He indicated that 3802 3rd Ave. is an old one story building on the corner of 171st St. with the caption, "African Universal Church and Commercial League Corporation".

The informant added that he does not know who the members of this group might be and exactly what their connection with the Nationalist Party is at this time. This informant said that recently a piece of machinery, which appeared to be a printing press, was delivered to the Nationalist Party Headquarters on E. 83rd St. He said also that EUSTACE MULLINS has been doing a lot of typing at this headquarters and it is believed that HOOKER may intend to do his own printing of leaflets, etc. on these premises.

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Subject's name and aliases NATIONALIST PARTY OF THE NATIONALIST YOUTH LEAGUE WEST HOOKER <i>105-10615*</i>		Address of subject USA 224 E 38th St		Character of case IS-X	
Complainant 		Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received ☒ Personal ☐ Telephonic Date 6/9/56 Time 4:15pm	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Birth date and Birthplace SAC DIV. 1 DIV. 2 DIV. 3 DIV. 4 SEC. 1 SEC. 2 SEC. 3 SEC. 4 SEC. 5					
Facts of complaint Comp, a student at Commerce HS, 155 W 66th St, NYC advised that last Friday there appeared written on one of the school walls "all Jews get out." Stated that that afternoon he, and two other students had a discussion in the audio visual aids room with two other male students, names unknown. These two students talked against the Jews, said that Hitler was right in putting the Jews in ovens, were against Zionism and one of the boys said he was a Nazi. Comp. stated that there may be 30 boys of this group and from his experience in the past believed that there would be a blow up this next week. Stated that about 3 weeks ago they had D day which was supposed to be a fight in which a number of students and teachers were on the list but that the PD got there before any trouble insued. Stated that West Hooker is a former actor and rabble rouser. One of the boys at the discussion gave him a card (enclosed) and did not know that comp was of Jewish extraction. Comp said that he did not feel that this info was that of a squeeler but wanted his name kept confidential. Stated that this came up all at once and felt that the two boys were trying to get converts to their way of thinking. Stated that they said that they had been to meetings run by Hooker and apparently held him in high esteem. He described the two boys as: One age 15, 5-5", 130#, chubby, dark hair, One 17 years, dark long hair, slim, small eyes, shifty look,..He has seen the 17 year old boy many times but his name is unk to him. Stated that there probably are students from other schools in this organization who will help out if there is any trouble. ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 8/15/2000 BY SP2 am/mtc #917098 - 105-115					
Action Recommended Notify PD		Robert R Glendon, 14 (Agent)			

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: June 14, 1956

FROM : SA [] (105-10615)

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Detective [] NYCPD, advised on June 12, 1956 authorities at Commerce High School had been interviewed regarding the information that a dangerous situation existed there because of members of the subject group attendance. He said that the reported incident of a fight several weeks ago was determined to have arisen from a racial situation and had nothing to do with the members of the subject group.

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[] added that however because of aggitation against Jewish students by [] a member of the Nationalist Youth League that school officials had expelled him and would not allow him to return to school. He said that another student FNU [] had been allowed to remain in school upon promising that he would cease all activities in and association with the Nationalist Youth League. *Later expelled from*

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[] said that school officials, juvenile authorities and the P.D. was following this situation closely and felt that they had it under control.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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201 East 69th Street
New York 21, New York

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

June 20, 1956

[Redacted]
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

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Dear [Redacted]

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that you furnish listings for the following telephone numbers:

TE 4-0694

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

DECLASSIFIED BY SP2 RUM/IMC
ON 8/16/2004
#917097

Very truly yours,

James J. Kelly
JAMES J. KELLY
Special Agent in Charge

[Redacted] 105-10615

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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201 East 69th Street
New York 21, New York

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

June 20, 1956

[Redacted]
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

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Dear [Redacted]:

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that you furnish listings for the following telephone numbers:

LE 2-6640

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

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ON 8/16/2000
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Very truly yours,

James J. Kelly
JAMES J. KELLY
Special Agent in Charge

[Redacted] 105-10615

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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201 East 69th Street
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PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

June 20, 1956

[Redacted]

140 West Street
New York 7, New York

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Dear [Redacted]:

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that you furnish listings for the following telephone numbers:

RE 7-2121

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

DECLASSIFIED BY SP2 Rm/umf
ON 8/16/2000
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Very truly yours,

James J. Kelly
JAMES J. KELLY
Special Agent in Charge

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SAC, NEW YORK [REDACTED]

5/24/56

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[REDACTED] indicated on 5/9/56 that WEST HOOKER, leader of the Nationalist Party, had recently gone down to Delaware to address a women's group. It is believed that this speech by HOOKER was on the segregation issue, and that this was one of the groups that had formerly been associated with the National Association for the Protection of White People, whose headquarters is in Milford, Delaware.

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The informant added that practically every weekend for the past several months HOOKER has indicated that he was making trips to Texas, California, Washington, etc. However, it is believed that these statements were made to impress his followers and actually his trips out-of-town are to Chicago, Illinois, where his family resides.

① - New York (105-10615)

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

June 28, 1956

[REDACTED]
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

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Dear [REDACTED]:

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office, it is requested that you make available all background information which your files might contain concerning:

Nationalist Buyers Association
344 East 83rd Street
New York, New York

LY 6-9088

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

James J. Kelly
JAMES J. KELLY
Special Agent in Charge

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SAC, NEW YORK [redacted]

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CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE

[redacted], who has furnished reliable information in the past, indicated on 6/7/56 that he had received the following information from a source, which he declined to identify, but whom he termed reliable.

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This source stated that WEST HOOKER had recently made a ^{5/22/56} ~~street~~ appeal to [redacted], a member of the National Renaissance Party to have [redacted] attempt to convince JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party, that an advisory board should be set up which would coordinate the activities of the Nationalist Party and the National Renaissance Party.

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This source stated that it does not appear that MADOLE will be influenced by this offer of cooperation by HOOKER.

This source indicated that HOOKER is holding informal meetings of the National Youth League on Friday nights at Party headquarters, 432 East 83rd Street, NYC. He said that these meetings are actually coffee klatches and that no formal meetings as such have been held. He added that HOOKER still is not attempting to sell electric appliances at the Party headquarters as he had frequently said he would do. He said the local police are continuing to check the premises at 432 East 83rd Street for violations and have frequently warned HOOKER that they would not stand for any trouble in this establishment.

This source stated that [redacted], a lawyer who formerly had represented [redacted] in a law suit against FREDERICK WEISS has been visiting HOOKER at the Nationalist Party Headquarters and during a recent visit of JAMES MADOLE to this headquarters, COLUMBIA tried to convince him that he should join up with HOOKER for a common action against the Jews.

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This source stated that another individual, who has spent considerable time at this headquarters recently is called "Thomas the Apostle." He said that THOMAS has placed six Bibles in this headquarters for display and allegedly is buying an electric machine for the use of the Party.

This source stated that "Thomas the Apostle" is an ~~executive~~ ^{mechanic} who comes from New Jersey, where he is employed as a mechanic and allegedly earns an excellent salary. He is described as about 55 years of age, stocky, and of medium height.

This source added that "Thomas the Apostle" about 7 or 8 years ago had attempted to work for CONDE MC GINLEY in New Jersey, but that MC GINLEY would have nothing to do with him because of his peculiar behavior.

This source further indicated that HOOKER recently has indicated to several people, including JAMES MADOLE that he is in dire need of financial assistance. He also stated that HOOKER has been making frequent trips out of NYC allegedly attempting to solicit aid for the Nationalist Party cause. He stated that one of the individuals mentioned who HOOKER is attempting to utilize is , who was a prominent Nazi sympathizer during World War II and who has a reputation of being an excellent speaker and organizer.

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This source also stated that HOOKER allegedly had contacted KENNETH GOFF, who presently resides in Colorado, but that GOFF had declined to have anything to do with HOOKER's organization.

This source stated that GOFF occasionally has made speeches at meetings of CONDE MC GINLEY in New Jersey.

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SA [redacted]

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[redacted] indicated on 7/2/56 that he had obtained the following information from a source, which he termed reliable, but declined to identify:

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He said that JAMES MADOLE, Leader of the National Renaissance Party, had indicated that he attended a meeting on 6/16/56 at the headquarters of the Nationalist Party on East 83rd Street, NYC. MADOLE stated that he attended this meeting at the request of WEST HOOKER, Leader of the Nationalist Party, and that the only persons in attendance were HOOKER, CHARLIE DOMMER, [redacted], and three youngsters from HOOKER's group. He said that HOOKER ordered [redacted] to leave the meeting and accused him of being an agent of the Zionist League of America.

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This informant also indicated that HOOKER's father-in-law, according to HOOKER, who had been furnishing him \$30,000 a year, has now cut this allowance to \$15,000 a year. As a result of this, [redacted] has insisted that her husband go out and get a job. HOOKER stated that he plans to sell his home in Larchmont and move to Greenwich, Connecticut. HOOKER allegedly stated that he would like to sell his home to Negroes in order to get even with the people in Larchmont.

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The informant further stated that EUSTACE MULLINS continues to reside with [redacted] and frequents the Nationalist Party headquarters on East 83rd Street. He said both HOOKER and [redacted] have invited MULLINS to speak at their meetings but to date he has not appeared.

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This source added that MULLINS has not pursued the matter of his law suit against the Petroleum Institute and also was persuaded not to sue CONDE MC GINLEY at the insistence of EDWARD FLECKENSTEIN, who is MULLIN's lawyer.

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Subject's name and aliases <u>WEST HOOKER</u>		Address of subject 1 Overlook Terrace Larchmont, New York		Character of case <u>IS - The NATIONALIST PARTY of America</u>	
Complainant 		Complainant's address and <u>city</u> 		Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date <u>7/3/56</u> Time <u>4:50 PM</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	Birth date and Birthplace
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint Complainant advised that he is an author and that he had recently been approached by the subject in an effort to get him to write articles for publication espousing a line of the ~~American~~ Nationalist Party of America, which according to was similar to the Nazi Party line particularly in its Anti-semetism. advised that the subject was director of this organization and that recently he had brought a German printing press into this country for the purpose of furthering the party. advised that he got mixed up in the organization due to his natural curoosity concerning politics but now realizes that this organization, in his opinion, poses a threat to the security of the country. He further advised that if he were con- tacted by an agent of this office he could furnish additional information. There are many references to the subject in the indicies and many case files on the American Nationalist Party but it is not known whether this organization is identical to the The Nationalist Party of America. The complainant advised that he has been in America since 1949 and that during the war he served as an officer in the British Navy. SAG DIV. 1 DIV. 2 DIV. 3 DIV. 4 SEC. 1 SEC. 2 SEC. 3 SEC. 4 SEC. 5 SEC. 6 SEC. 7 SEC. 8 SEC. 9 SEC. 10 SEC. 11 SEC. 12 SEC. 13 SEC. 14 SEC. 15 SEC. 16 SEC. 17 105-10615-124 7-2-57 Not for file ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 8/16/00 BY SPdAm/kmf #917098					
Action Recommended <u>open and assign</u> 					

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: July 6, 1956

FROM : SA [] (105-10615)

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[] telephonically

[Handwritten signature]
[] contacted the NYO on July 3, 1956 and indicated that he had information regarding the subject organization and its leader WEST HOOKER.

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An interview of [] was arranged at his apartment on July 6, 1956 and the following information received by SA's Francis DWYER and the writer.

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[] furnished the following background information about himself: He indicated he was born in [] on []

[] and is still an Irish citizen. He served in the British merchant marine for 6 years until entering the US at NYC on May 11, 1949 as a permanent resident on visa # [] with alien registration # []. This passport was described as type [].

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[] indicated he had resided in NYC since that time and worked mostly as a writer. He said that he has had one book published [] a novel about the sea.

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[] added that he had married [] an American citizen from Bridgeport, Conn. on July 16, 1954 and has resided at the above address since that time. Prior to 1954 he resided at []. He said that his wife is presently employed as [] for CBS. He presently is preparing another novel which he hopes to have published next year.

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[] explained that several weeks ^{ago} he and his wife had walked into the Nationalist Party headquarters on E. 83rd St. because as a writer it appeared interesting. Inside he met WEST HOOKER and subsequently Hooker came to his apartment accompanied by [] and a person called [] said that initially Hooker was very suspicious of him and questioned him extensively about his background and connections. He said he now feels after having talked to Hooker on several occasions that he has convinced Hooker he is only a writer interested in the Party and a right wing sympathizer.

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[] said that he feels that Hooker is a threat to the security of the US because of his violent anti-semitic statements and his ideas which closely parallel the Nazi line in Germany prior to WW 2. He believes that Hooker is completely dedicated to these ideals ^{and he} that has had considerable success ~~at~~ in conveying them to the youths around him at the Nationalist Party headquarters which he estimated to be about 8 individuals in their teens.

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[] stated that he believed that Hooker's group actually was dedicated to the violent overthrow of the US government but that he had no basis for this except that it was an opinion he had formed from talking to Hooker and other party members. However the outward activity of the Party at the present time is the gaining of publicity thru picketting and publishing of literature. He said that the Party headquarters now contains a mimeo machine as well as a printing press which was made in Hamburg, Germany. He was unable to ~~state~~ say what if any type of literature was being printed on these machines.

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[] described the individual named [] above as about [] yrs of age, heavy German accent, short, slender build, thinning black hair, allegedly just arrived from Germany and [] to Hooker.

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[] said that he desired to offer his services in any way possible as he felt that Hooker was a real danger to the country and although he was not a citizen of this country he was loyal to it and hoped to become a citizen in the future.

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[] was advised that the Bureau could not advise him in any manner as to his future conduct in this matter but that any information which came to him and he wished to furnish voluntarily to the Bureau would be appreciated.

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[] stated that he would inform the Bureau of any further contacts he had with Hooker.

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SAC, Chicago

July 10, 1956

Director, FBI (105-33261)
(105-35073)

NATIONALIST PARTY
INTERNAL SECURITY - X

REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE
INTERNAL SECURITY - X

ReBulet dated May 17, 1956.

Chicago and New York are instructed to furnish the Bureau any information received concerning the national convention of "radical rightwingers" mentioned in reBulet.

✓ 2cc - New York

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York

FROM : ASAC D. E. Moore (105-10615)

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DATE: 7/12/56

On July 10, 1956, [] who identified himself as [] for the New York City Commission on Inter-Group Relations, appeared at the New York Office and furnished the following information:

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[] stated that the New York City Commission on Inter-Group Relations is a successor to the Mayor's Unity Committee and that the job of the Commission is to promote harmonious relations between the various nationality groups and races. He said that recently it had been called to his attention that the building at 354 East 83rd Street, New York City, had on its windows posted anti-Semitic and anti-Negro slogans.

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[] stated that he had visited this address and observed that on the ground floor at 354 East 83rd Street is what appears to be a printing shop of some sort. There is a painted sign, "Nationalist Buyers Service" at the address, and also pasted in the window are copies of various slogans, letterheads, and so forth. He said the slogans were anti-Semitic and anti-Negro, and he stated that displayed prominently were letterheads of the Nationalist Party of the U.S. He said on the letterheads, in addition to the Nationalist Party of the U.S., appeared the name Film Research, Inc., West Hooker, Editor, 224 East 38th Street, MUrray Hill 2-2026. There was also a notation posted on the window, "Mail Publishing and Subscriptions P.O. Box 95, Larchmont, New York."

[] stated that there was also a letterhead or statement on the window which indicated that Black Nationalist Headquarters was located at 3822 Third Avenue, New York 57, New York, telephone LUdlow 3-7466. There was also a letterhead or slogan of some sort in the window which indicated that there was a Nationalist Youth League against Communism, which [] stated was apparently the youth group of the Nationalist Party.

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[] stated he had no additional information other than that obtained from visually observing the address. He said

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that the source who had called this matter to his attention was a neighborhood merchant and had just noted the material himself. [] advised that he had contacted the BSS concerning this matter and wanted to furnish this information to the FBI. He stated in the event additional information concerning the activities of this group or similar groups were received he would contact this office.

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A check of indices revealed that the Nationalist Party is the subject of a pending case handled in Section 1.

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TO: BUREAU

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Detective [redacted], NYCPD, advised on 7-18-56 that [redacted] age [redacted] was arrested on 7-18-56 for violation of N.Y. Penal Code, Section 1340, distribution of libelous pamphlets. He stated [redacted] was paroled in his father's custody and will have a hearing next week. [redacted] said that [redacted] is a member of the Nationalist Youth League, the youth division of the subj group and that he had distributed anti-semitic leaflets last week at City Island, N.Y. which are believed to have been printed at the Nationalist Party headquarters, 344 E. 83rd Street, N.Y.C.

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[redacted] added that [redacted] was convicted of grand larceny in 1955 and presently out on a three year probation as a youthful offender. A copy of this pamphlet and disposition of case will be furnished to the Bureau when received from the NYCPD.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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furnished the NYD Three photographs
of members of the Nationalist Youth
League taken in February 1956 during
the picketing of Carnegie Hall by
the subject group.

These photos will be made exhibits
in the subject file.

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TITLE OF CASE <u>CHANGED</u> NATIONALIST PARTY, was: Nationalist Buyers Association		Report made by 	Typed By: cx1
		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - X	

Synopsis: The Nationalist Party presently maintains head-quarters at 344 E. 83rd St., NYC, under the name Nationalist Buyers Association. WEST HOOKER continues to maintain leadership of the group, but has had little success in recruiting members or publicizing the activities of the Party. No public meetings have been held and no Party literature distributed during the period of this report. Background information regarding WEST HOOKER and other Party members set out. HOOKER's efforts to take over the National Renaissance Party continued to be unsuccessful.

DETAILS:

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The title of this report is changed to include additional alias of Nationalist Buyers Association, which is being utilized by the captioned organization according to Detective New York City Police Department.

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All information received from T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, was received by him from a source whom he termed reliable, but did not wish to disclose.

A. General Activities of the Nationalist Party

T-1 indicated on July 2, 1956, that the Nationalist Party (NP) presently maintains headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street, New York City. He indicated that WEST HOOKER continues to maintain leadership of this group and appears to be the only person in a leadership capacity. He stated the rest of the Party members appeared to be youngsters in their teens who frequent the headquarters at East 83rd Street.

T-1 said that HOOKER has had little success in recruiting new members or in publicizing the activities of the Party. He added that no public meetings of this group have been held in recent weeks, but informal meetings are held at the headquarters on Friday evenings. He stated that no literature has been distributed by the Party, although HOOKER has indicated that Party literature would be printed at the headquarters on East 83rd Street.

T-1 indicated on May 23, 1956, that the NP had opened its new headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street, New York City, and that HOOKER had originally stated that they would sell electrical items at this store, but as yet there is nothing in the establishment except literature.

T-1 added that since the store opened, a great many Police officers have stopped in looking for violations, and advised HOOKER that they did not desire any trouble from this establishment. T-1 added that the front of this store had a sign bearing the name Nationalist Youth League, and that literature exhibited in the window

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indicated this organization was cooperating with the Negro Nationalist Youth League at 3802 3rd Avenue, New York City. T-1 stated that 3802 3rd Avenue, is an old one story building on the corner of 3rd Avenue and 171st Street with the name African Universal Church and Commercial League Corporation. He stated he does not know who the members of this group might be and exactly what their connection with the NP is at this time.

T-1 further indicated that a piece of machinery which appeared to be a printing press was recently delivered to Party headquarters on East 83rd Street. He added that EUSTACE MULLINS has been doing a lot of typing at the headquarters, and it is believed that HOOKER intends to do his own printing of leaflets, etcetera, at these premises.

Detective [redacted]
[redacted] New York City Police Department, indicated on May 24, 1956, that the captioned organization had opened a new headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street, under the name Nationalist Buyers Association. He stated that numerous teenage boys in this neighborhood were frequenting this headquarters, and that the Juvenile Division of the Police Department was interested in the activities of this group insofar as they affected the youths of the neighborhood.

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[redacted] indicated on June 9, 1956, that he was a student in Commerce High School, 155 West 66th Street, New York City, and that recently there has been trouble at this school with a group of boys who are talking against the Jews and stating that HITLER was right in putting the Jews in ovens. He stated that WEST HOOKER, a former actor, was the head of this group of boys and that some of them were members of his organization, the Nationalist Youth League.

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[redacted] said that they expected trouble from this group within the next few weeks.

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Detective [redacted] advised on June 12, 1956, that the authorities at Commerce High

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School had been contacted by him regarding information that a dangerous situation existed there because of members of the subject group in attendance at this school. He said that a reported incident of a fight at this school several weeks ago was determined to have arisen from a racial situation, and had nothing to do with members of the subject group.

[redacted] added, however, that because of their agitation against Jewish students at the school, that two members of the captioned organization had been expelled by school officials and would not be allowed to return. He said these students were [redacted] and [redacted].

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T-2 of unknown reliability, indicated on July 6, 1956, that he recently had become friendly with WEST HOOKER and had been to the headquarters of the NP on East 83rd Street on several occasions. He stated that he feels that HOOKER is a threat to the security of the United States and his violent anti-Semitic statements and ideals closely parallel with Nazi line in Germany prior to World War II.

He stated that he believes HOOKER is completely dedicated to these ideals, and that he has had considerable success in conveying them to the youths around him at the NP headquarters. He estimated this group to be about eight individuals mostly in their teens. T-2 stated that he believed HOOKER's group actually was dedicated to the violent overthrow of the United States Government, but that he has no basis for this belief except it is his opinion which he has formed from talking to HOOKER and other Party members. He added that the outward activity of the Party, at the present time, is gaining publicity through picketing and the publication of literature. He added that the Party headquarters now contains a mimeograph machine

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as well as a printing press, which was made in Hamburg, Germany. He was unable to say what, if any, type of literature was being printed on these machines.

T-2 was unable to identify any other members of the captioned group except an individual who appeared to be HOOKER's right hand man and whose name was [redacted]. T-2 described him as about [redacted] years of age, short, slender build, thinning black hair, and he spoke with a heavy German accent. T-2 said this individual allegedly just arrived from Germany and appears to be HOOKER's [redacted].

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T-1 indicated on July 10, 1956, that a German by the name of [redacted] has recently been living with WEST HOOKER. He added that this individual has been in the United States for several years and had worked in [redacted].

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T-1 added that this man usually drives HOOKER to New York from his home in Larchmont, New York, and that he apparently earns his maintenance by doing odd jobs around HOOKER'S home.

T-1 added that it does not appear that this individual has the background or the intelligence to be advising HOOKER in matters concerning the NP.

B. Individuals Connected with the Nationalist Party

T-1 indicated on May 9, 1956, that WEST HOOKER had recently gone to Delaware to address a women's group. He stated it was believed that this speech by HOOKER was on the segregation issue and that this was one of the groups that had formerly been associated with the National Association for the Advancement of White People.

T-1 added that practically every weekend for the past several months, HOOKER has indicated that he was

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making trips to Texas, California, Washington, etcetera. However, T-1 believed that these statements were made to impress his followers and actually his out of town trips are to [redacted], where his family resides.

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The records of the Identification Division, FBI, were checked on May 2, 1956, and no record was located which could be identified with WEST HOOKER, Larchmont, New York.

The records of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, as furnished by [redacted] to SA WILLIAM T. FIELD, JR., on May 17, 1956, indicated that WEST HOOKER, 1 Overlook Terrace, Larchmont, New York, was born on June 14, 1918, and was described as white, male, 200 pounds, 6 feet 2 inches, blue eyes, brown hair.

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The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York, furnished by [redacted] to SE DONALD C. STRELETZKY on May 15, 1956, indicated that WEST HOOKER and [redacted] resided at 1 Overlook Terrace, Larchmont, New York, on November 26, 1952. This record indicated HOOKER was 35 with one dependant, and had been at the above address since 1952. He formerly resided at 3 East 85th Street, New York City, from March, 1947, and for two years prior to that had resided at 140 West 46th Street.

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HOOKER previously was employed by the Music Corporation of America, 598 Madison Avenue, New York City, as a Television Executive, and also has been employed as a professional model. HOOKER is a graduate of Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, and his father is reported to be President of the Real Estate Board of Chicago, Illinois. HOOKER is the son of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN P. HOOKER, Winnetka, Illinois.

HOOKER utilizes the Chase National Bank at Rockefeller Plaza, and on March 2, 1951, was a defendant in a legal action brought by EMERY, VARNEY, WHITTEMORE and DIX for \$471.15 for professional services.

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T-3, who was in a position to furnish reliable information, indicated on May 11, 1956, that WEST HOOKER had employed Telarsverphone, Incorporated, as a phone answering service on March 24, 1955. He indicated he wished calls accepted for the following:

WEST HOOKER, [REDACTED]
Miss LOUISE SNYDER, Miss MARY HUMPHREY, American Peace Foundation, Incorporated, Nationalist Party of the United States of America, Nationalist Youth League, Film Network, Incorporated, Film Research, Incorporated, Master Television, Incorporated, Dynamic Christianity, and WEST HOOKER, Incorporated.

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T-3 indicated that the latter three names had been ordered canceled by HOOKER.

T-3 also stated that in recent months HOOKER had received the following calls of interest:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Telephone Number</u>	<u>Message</u>
May 9, 1956	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] called
May 3, 1956	--	[REDACTED] called
May 10, 1956	--	[REDACTED] of Ogilvie, Benson, and Mason called and requested HOOKER to be at the CHARLES KIRK Studio at 3:30 P. M.
May 10, 1956	LY 6-9088 MO 8-6663	HOOKER called and stated he could be reached all day at these numbers
April 25, 1956	--	[REDACTED] called
April 23, 1956	--	[REDACTED] called

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Telephone Number</u>	<u>Message</u>
April 20, 1956	--	Slade and Griffin indicating the printing matter would be ready to be picked up on Monday.
April 17, 1956	--	[redacted] would have information for HOOKER on Wednesday
April 14, 1956	--	HOOKER called and requested the service to take any calls for [redacted] of Meditteranean Enterprises.
March 30, 1956	--	HOOKER called and indicated that from March 31 to April 6, he could be reached care of [redacted] [redacted]
March 12, 1956	RE 7-2121	HOOKER indicated he could be reached until 6:30 P.M. at this number.
February 9, 1956	[redacted]	[redacted] of Sidler Press called
January 28, 1956	[redacted]	[redacted] called about material for the bulletin
[redacted] Agent, New York Telephone Company. advised SA [redacted] on June 27, 1956, that [redacted] is the number of [redacted] Model Agency, 341 East 43rd Street, New York City.		
T-3 indicated that [redacted] who called on May 3, 1956, possibly is [redacted], who was associated with		

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the Harkrider Agency at 224 East 38th Street.

[redacted] advised SE [redacted] on June 6, 1956, that LY 6-9088 is the number of the Nationalist Buyers Association, 344 East 83rd Street, New York City, and that [redacted] is the number of [redacted]

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The New York Telephone Directory lists a Slade and Griffin Printers at 239 East 88th Street, New York City. The New York Telephone Directory was checked and no listing located for [redacted] or Mediterranean Enterprises.

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[redacted] advised SA [redacted] on June 27, 1956, that RE 7-2121 is listed to John Department Store, 1506 2nd Avenue, New York City.

The New York Telephone Directory lists Zeidler Press at 246 East 84th Street, telephone number RE 4-5265.

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[redacted] advised SA [redacted] on June 27, 1956, that TE 4-0694 is the number of Dolphin Press, 1889 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont, New York, which number is also listed to [redacted]

T-1 indicated on July 2, 1956, that according to HOOKER, his father-in-law, who had previously furnished him \$30,000.00 a year, has now cut this allowance to \$15,000.00 a year. As a result of this HOOKER's wife has insisted that her husband go out and get a job.

HOOKER stated that he plans to sell his home in Larchmont and move to Greenwich, Connecticut. HOOKER allegedly stated that he would like to sell his home to Negroes in order to get even with the people in Larchmont.

T-1 indicated on July 9, 1956, that the present strength of the subject organization appears to be

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relatively small. He indicated that no more than four or five youths are at the Party headquarters at one time. He furnished the following names and background of individuals who are believed to be active members of the Party, and who have been frequently seen at the Party headquarters:



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Detective [redacted]
[redacted] New York City Police Department, indicated on July 11, 1956, that the captioned organization has held no public meetings recently, and that it does not appear that it is gaining any additional members. He added that the local Police officers have interviewed numerous parents

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of the youths associated with this group, and that because of this many of these youths are dropping out of the Party and no longer frequenting Party headquarters on East 83rd Street,

C. Stated Aims and Purposes of the Nationalist Party

No information regarding this heading has been received during the period of this report.

D. Action Taken to Implement the Program of the Nationalist Party

1. Meetings

T-1 indicated on June 7, 1956, that HOOKER is holding informal meetings of the subject group on Friday nights at Party headquarters at East 83rd Street. He said that these meetings are actually coffee klatches, and that no formal meetings as such have been held.

T-1 indicated on July 2, 1956, that JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party (NRP) had indicated he attended a meeting on June 16, 1956, at the NP headquarters. MADOLE indicated he attended this meeting at the request of HOOKER and the only persons in attendance were HOOKER, CHARLIE DOMMER, [redacted] and three youngsters from HOOKER's group.

MADOLE said that HOOKER ordered [redacted] to leave the meeting and accused him of being an agent of the Zionist League of America. T-1 added that EUSTACE MULLINS frequents the NP headquarters and that both HOOKER and MADOLE have invited MULLINS to speak at their meetings, but to date he has not appeared.

T-1 added that the NRP is a neo-Nazi anti-Semitic New York group, with headquarters at 10 West 90th Street, New York City.

2. Publications

T-1 indicated on July 2, 1956, that there is no indication that the captioned group has published any

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additional bulletins or that it has printed any literature within recent months. He added, however, that it is believed that printing of some nature has been going on at the Party headquarters, but no evidence of this literature has been seen.

3. Nationalist Party Groups in the United States and Efforts to Affiliate with Other Groups.

The publication, "Right," a monthly newsletter of, by and for the American Right Wing, published at 418 Ellis Street, San Francisco, California, in the February, 1956 issue, indicated that a national convention of radical Rightwingers is to be called in Chicago about July 4, 1956, under joint sponsorship of WEST HOOKER's Nationalist Party and the Realpolitical Institute.

T-1 stated on July 2, 1956, that he has heard no information concerning an alleged convention of the subject organization and the Realpolitical Institute at Chicago.

T-1 indicated on June 7, 1956, that HOOKER had recently made a special appeal to [redacted] a member of the NRP, to have [redacted] attempt to convince JAMES MADOLE, leader of the NRP, that an advisory board should be set up which would coordinate the activities of the NP and the NRP.

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T-1 stated that it does not appear that MADOLE will be influenced by this offer of cooperation by HOOKER. T-1 added that a [redacted] New York City, had recently visited HOOKER at the NP headquarters, and while there attempted to convince MADOLE that he should join up with HOOKER for a common action against the Jews.

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T-1 [redacted]	General activities	7/2/56	SA [redacted]	Instant Report 105-10615-114
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"	"	7/10/56	"	Instant report
"	re HOOKER	5/9/56	"	105-10615-120
"	"	7/2/56	"	[redacted]
"	re other members	7/9/56	"	"
"	re meetings	6/7/56	"	"
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T-2 [redacted]	General activities	7/6/56	SAS FRANCIS DWYER and [redacted]	105-10615
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T-3 [redacted]	re HOOKER	5/11/56	SA [redacted] [redacted]	Instant Report
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Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and T symbols were utilized in the report only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

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LEADS

NEWARK

At Newark, New Jersey

Information copy to Newark, which office has lead outstanding in captioned case.

NEW YORK

At New York City, New York

Will continue to follow activities of subject organization through established sources.

REFERENCE: Report of SA 5/16/56, at NY.

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[redacted] indicated on 7/17/56 that recently a great number of anti-Semitic leaflets had been distributed at City Island, NY. He said this leaflet contained a cartoon of a caricatured Jew eating a frankfurter which stands for the Christian businessman being devoured by the Jew. He said this leaflet was signed by the Board of Trade but that the Police, after checking, had learned that there was no Board of Trade, and they believe this leaflet possibly was written by the Nationalist Party.

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This source further indicated that an arrest had been made by the NYCPD concerning this matter, and he furnished substantially the same information which was furnished by Detective [redacted] earlier on the 17th regarding this matter.

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This source indicated that WEST HOOKER has purchased a new home in Connecticut, possibly Greenwich, and that he is planning to move there from Larchmont as soon as he can arrange his affairs. He said that HOOKER allegedly has stated that he is disgusted with politics and is tired of the whole matter. He indicated that America does not want to be saved and that the boys who have been following him will have to shift for themselves.

-This source further indicated that a meeting had been held at the Nationalist Party Headquarters at East 83rd Street on 7/16/56, which was attended by about 10 young men from NJ. He indicated that HOOKER gave them a long talk concerning anti-Semitism.

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Rebuletts 5/17/56 and 7/10/56.

[redacted], who has furnished reliable information in the past on nationalist matters, was contacted on 5/21/56 and was unable to furnish any information regarding a forthcoming national convention of "radical right wingers" to be held in Chicago on 7/4/56. This source indicated on 7/2/56 that to date he had received no information concerning this alleged meeting and was fairly certain that WEST HOOKER of the Nationalist Party did not intend going to Chicago for this meeting, or he would have indicated such to other members of the Party.

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[redacted] indicated on 7/17/56 that [redacted] a former member of the National Renaissance Party, is presently residing in Chicago and is working with [redacted] of the Realpolitical Institute. He stated that [redacted] recently mailed out invitations stating that the "Chicago Committee for the Reception of Nationalist Observers at the Democratic National Convention, August, 1956, cordially extends this invitation to visit its service center in the East Room of the Hotel Atlantic, at 316 Clark Street, on the 12th through the 15th of August from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m." This invitation also included a blank form to be returned to the Chicago Committee, care of [redacted] 469 West Deming Place, Chicago, Ill., to indicate whether hotel accommodations were desired, whether the individual would accept the invitation to visit the service center, whether the person was interested in a car pool, and whether invitation cards were desired by the individual to be distributed by him to friends and fellow Nationalists.

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This source further indicated that EUSTACE MULLINS had recently left NYC and gone to Chicago to be near [redacted]. He indicated that MULLINS and [redacted] formerly had lived together several years ago in NYC and both are believed to be homosexuals.

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This source stated that [redacted] of the Chicago newspaper, "Women's Voice," had called CONDE MC GINLEY, editor of the Union, NJ, newspaper, "Common Sense," and stated that she had seen MULLINS at a "pro-America" meeting in Chicago and that he had again been rude to her. There was no further explanation as to the date of this meeting or any indication whether it is the meeting which allegedly would be held on July 4 under the sponsorship of the captioned organizations.

[redacted] indicated that he believes [redacted] and [redacted] are endeavoring to obtain publicity through the above-mentioned invitations and that their aim is to create confusion and embarrassment at either or both of the major political conventions.

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Any further information regarding this situation obtained from the above source will be immediately sent to the Bureau and Chicago.

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[redacted] advised that he had met with WEST HOOKER, leader of the Nationalist Party, at [redacted] apartment on 7/10/56. He stated that they had generally discussed political ideology, and he believes that HOOKER will accept him as a worker for the Nationalist Party. [redacted] said that he told HOOKER that he formerly was associated with the Irish Republican Army and that their nationalistic viewpoint was similar to that of HOOKER's organization. [redacted] stated that HOOKER indicated that he would contact him in the near future and discuss ways that [redacted] could aid the Nationalist Party cause.

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[redacted] said HOOKER had advised him that he did not desire him to become associated with the Nationalist Youth League members or to frequent the Party headquarters on East 83rd Street. HOOKER indicated he did not want [redacted] name to be publicly associated with the Party and stated he wanted to utilize him as a writer behind the scenes. [redacted] added that the unknown individual, who had accompanied HOOKER on the previous meeting, referred to as [redacted] had again accompanied HOOKER at this meeting and his last name had been stated by HOOKER to be [redacted] (phonetic).

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The files of the NYO were checked under the names [redacted] and [redacted], nee [redacted], and no references were located which could be determined to be identical to the subject or his wife.

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The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater NY were checked on 7/11/56 by SA [redacted] and indicated from a report dated 11/18/54 that [redacted] and wife, [redacted], residing at [redacted], were married about May, 1954. He formerly resided at [redacted] and she formerly resided at [redacted]. She has been living at the first-mentioned address since 1950, and he has been living there since their marriage. She is employed as [redacted] in the Program Department of CBS, 485 Madison Avenue, since 1941. On 4/20/53, Bloomingdale Brothers indicated the delinquent bill of \$275 and desired the address of [redacted].

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Note: [redacted] handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Subject's name and all print names legibly [redacted] NATIONAL YOUTH PARTY		Address of subject 83 rd St. Just off 1st Ave (South side of St.) <i>going west</i>		Character of case	
Complainant [redacted]		Complainant's address and telephone number [redacted]		Complaint received ☒ Personal ☐ Telephonic Date 8/15/56 Time 11:15 PM	
[redacted] do not reveal to [redacted]					
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Birth date and Birthplace				
Scars, marks or other data					

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Facts of complaint

[redacted] wanted information concerning this organization. He advised that this group, composed of about 70 members, led by WEST HOOKER of Larchmont New York use 83rd street address to carry on activity wherein they praise HITLER, and deride the President, the Constitution. [redacted] states that in this building they maintain a flag swastika altar, German Helmet and pamphlets telling what a great person Hitler was. This outfit runs down Jews, certain Christians and everything in general says [redacted] Members are teen-agers.

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[redacted] does not want [redacted] to know he contacted the FBI.

[redacted] says he knows of no plot to overthrow the Govt.

The leader of this outfit, Hooker, carries a tape recorder on his person according to



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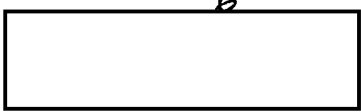
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On 11/16/54, a suit was instituted against [] by [] for \$2,057, Docket #58962, First District of Manhattan.

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The records of the Bureau of Special Services were checked on 7/10/56 by SA AUGUST J. MICEK, and no record was located for the subject or his wife.

[] was contacted on 7/10/56 and indicated he had no information regarding the subject or his wife.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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FORM No. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT

NEW YORK

REPORT MADE AT NEWARK	DATE WHEN MADE AUG 3 1956	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 7/5, 6, 9, 24, 26, 27, 30/56	REPORT MADE BY RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR.
TITLE NATIONALIST PARTY, was.			CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - X

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Informant advised that Nationalist Party held meeting at Polish National Home, Elizabeth, N.J., on 4/22/56. [redacted] of Polish National Home, Elizabeth, N.J., stated that an un-named group headed by [redacted] Elizabeth, N.J., hired hall on 4/22/56, and that approximately thirty persons attended meeting. According to [redacted] most of the individuals attending meeting came in New York licensed automobiles. Other than [redacted], no other members of group known.

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DETAILS:b6
b7CA. MEETING OF NATIONALIST PARTY

On April 20, 1956, T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that a meeting of the Nationalist Party was to be held in Elizabeth, N.J., and that WEST HOOKER had engaged [redacted] to organize a youth group in Elizabeth, N.J.

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T-1 stated on April 25, 1956, that the meeting in Elizabeth, N.J. had been held at the Polish National Home, 111 First Street, and that approximately thirty-six people had attended. T-1 also said that an individual known as [redacted] (PH) attended and is allegedly New Jersey Organizer for the Party.

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Regarding WEST HOOKER, T-1 described him on May 2, 1956, as the only individual who appears to exercise any leadership capacity in the Nationalist Party.

As late as July 6, 1956, T-2, of unknown reliability, advised that WEST HOOKER is a threat to the security of the United States and his violent anti-Semitic statements closely parallel the Nazi line in Germany prior to World War II.

T-3, of unknown reliability, advised on April 30, 1954, that [redacted] was at that time New Jersey Director of the National Renaissance Party, described by T-3 as a Nazi organization active in the United States.

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On April 25, 1956, T-1 stated that [redacted] was associated with the Nationalist Party only for the purpose of observing activities for a leader in the National Renaissance Party.

[redacted], Polish National Home, 111 First Street, Elizabeth, N.J., advised SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR. on July 9, 1956, that the "small hall" in the Polish National Home had been rented to an unnamed group for the night of April 22, 1956. According to [redacted], the charge was \$10.00. [redacted] stated that his records contain no other information regarding the arrangements.

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On July 24, 1956, [redacted] of the Polish National Home, advised SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR. that he had rented a hall to [redacted] of Elizabeth, N.J. According to [redacted] told him that he was organizing a meeting for a group of "young fellows". It was [redacted] opinion at the time of the rental that [redacted] was planning a meeting of friends from

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the neighborhood, however, most of those people attending came in automobiles bearing New York license plates. He did not recognize anyone other than [redacted] at the meeting, and he estimated that thirty people were in attendance. An effort by him to obtain the name of the organization from [redacted] for the purpose of his records was made with the reply that it was just a young people's gathering. After the meeting [redacted] came to [redacted] and said that the affair was a success and that he wanted to rent the hall some time in the future. [redacted] advised that he did not know [redacted] (PH), nor were any arrangements made with anyone else other than [redacted] for the rental of the hall.

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A review of the city directories of Union, Somerset, and Essex Counties by SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR. on July 5, 1956, failed to reveal the name [redacted] (PH).

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B. NATIONALIST YOUTH LEAGUE

On May 2, 1956, T-1 advised that WEST HOOKER had formed a group of the youth element of the Party and that they called themselves the Nationalist Youth League.

T-1, on April 11, 1956, stated that one of the members of the Nationalist Youth League was EDWARD A. FLECKENSTEIN, Weehawken, N.J., thirty years of age.

EDWARD A. FLECKENSTEIN, 39 King Avenue, Weehawken, N.J., an attorney, in a personally delivered letter to the Newark Office on June 27, 1955, stated that he was not a member of the Nationalist Party or the National Renaissance Party, however, he stated that he was associated with the "de facto" head of the National Renaissance Party.

C. OTHER ACTIVITIES IN NEW JERSEY

T-1 indicated on April 9, 1956, that at a meeting held on April 8, 1956, sponsored by "Common Sense", which he described as an anti-Semitic nationalist newspaper, at 530 Chestnut Street, Union, N.J., WEST HOOKER made a speech attacking the editor of "Common Sense".

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On July 5, 1956, T-4, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that he heard that HOOKER had criticized the editor of "Common Sense" at the August 4, 1956 meeting, however, he stated that he is not familiar with any other activities of the Nationalist Party or WEST HOOKER in the New Jersey area.

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T-1 [REDACTED]	Nationalist Party meeting Elizabeth, N.J.			NY 105-10615- 98, 99	b7D
	Documentation of WEST HOOKER			105-3095-1	
	Re [REDACTED] activities with Nationalist Party			NY 105-10615-98	b6 b7C
	Nationalist Youth League			105-3095-1	
	NJ member of Nationalist Party			NY 105-10615- 90	
	Re "Common Sense" meeting			NY 105-10615- 96	
T-2 [REDACTED] (Per Request)				105-3095-2	b6 b7C b7D
T-3 [REDACTED]				[REDACTED]	
T-4 [REDACTED]			WILLIAM G. BEDELL	Instant report	b6 b7C b7D

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Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed, and T-symbols were utilized in the report only in those instances where the identity of the sources must be concealed.

Indices of the Newark Office were checked regarding [redacted] (PH) and no information could be obtained which was identifiable with him.

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Regarding the interview with [redacted] he advised SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR. that he would notify this office at such time in the future if [redacted] or any other member of the Nationalist Party attempts to arrange another meeting. New York will be advised if anything develops along this line.

REFERENCES

Reports of SA [redacted] dated 5/16/56 and 7/24/56, at New York.

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NATIONALIST PARTY

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Re NY airtel, 7/18/56.

Enclosed herewith are two Photostats of a poster furnished by Detective [redacted] NYCPD, on July 20, 1956. [redacted] indicated that this is the poster which was distributed at City Island, NY, by [redacted] a member of the subject group.

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[redacted] indicated on July 26, 1956, that the case against this individual in Magistrate's Court, Bronx County, NY, had been adjourned until August 30, 1956.

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[] contacted the NYO on July 13, 1956, and indicated that he had a long meeting with WEST HOOKER, leader of the Nationalist Party on July 12, 1956. He stated that as a result of this conversation, he has reached the following conclusions:

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He stated he believes that HOOKER is mentally unbalanced and that certain setbacks in his theatrical career have caused him to enter into the work of the Nationalist Party as a diversion from these failures.

He stated that HOOKER apparently is the only person in a leadership capacity in the Nationalist Party and is the only driving force behind its activities.

[] added that he has found no evidence in the Nationalist Party of either a actual unity or a unity of purpose and ideals with any other Nationalist groups in the US.

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[] indicated that he feels that his continued activities in the Nationalist Party would serve no worthwhile purpose and that he feels he is not qualified to report any further regarding HOOKER's mental imbalance.

He stated that he will make no further effort to continue his relationship with HOOKER or other members of the Nationalist Party and will have no further dealings of a political nature in this regard.

[] indicated, however, that any information concerning this or other matters which he felt would be of value to the Bureau would be immediately transmitted to the NYO.

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Inasmuch as it appears that [] will no longer be active in the affairs of the Nationalist Party and will be unable to furnish information regarding their activities, it is recommended that this case be closed.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: AUG. 8, 1956

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

(105-10615)

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[REDACTED] advised that WEST
HOOKER, leader of subject group recently
sold his home at 1 Overlook Terrace,
Larchmont, N.Y. and moved to Greenwich,
Conn.

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Investigation should be conducted at
Larchmont to verify ^{now} and ascertain
Hooker's new address.

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60S Army	West Hooker #31-WGH	appl 3-3-43		
60S Army	West Hooker #107-NOS	appl 4-13-43		

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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J. Edgar Hoover
Director.

2-BU The following FBI record, NUMBER 325 693 C, is furnished FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY.

CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
	Description: Race: white Sex: male Height: 6-2 Weight: 195 Hair: brown Eyes: blue Complexion: ruddy Build: medium Birth: 6-14-13 Memphis Tenn Citizenship: USA Residence: 1943 St. Clair, St. Paul, Minn in 1943 Company: Northern States Power Co, St. Paul, Minn			
	'In view of the fact that no fingerprints or identifying number, such as FBI number or police record number, accompanied your request, this Bureau cannot guarantee in any manner that this record is identical with the individual in whom you are interested.'			

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To: DIRECTOR, FBI Attention: Identification Division Date AUGUST 13, 1956

Re NATIONALIST PARTY #105-10615

Furnish The Known Identification Record of the Following:

Name LENDRUM DEWEEST HOOKER FBI No. Other No.

Aliases WEST HOOKER 105-0-3457 105-10615-6 + mem. per.

Sex M	Race W	Birth Date 6-14-18	Birthplace WINNETKA, ILL	Residence LARCHMONT, N.Y.		
Height 6'	Weight 170	Build MED.	Hair Brown	Eyes BLUE	Complexion FAIR	Age 38

Fingerprint Classification

Scars, marks and tattoos

Also Furnish:

- ☐ Photo
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☐ Handwriting Specimens

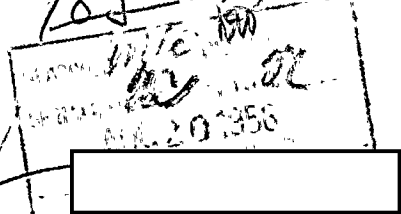
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[redacted] indicated on 8/17/56 the following information concerning the NRP and the Nationalist Party:

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He stated that JAMES MADOLE, leader of the NRP, has been preparing a new Party bulletin with the help of BENJAMIN FREEDMAN and that this bulletin would be ready shortly for distribution. He indicated that MADOLE stated he had received \$100 from FREEDMAN recently as well as a quantity of new Egyptian literature.

This source added that MADOLE also stated that he had visited the headquarters of the Nationalist Party on Friday evening, 8/10/56, and that W. HOOKER, leader of the Nationalist Party had come down that evening from Connecticut to hold a meeting. He stated, however, that only three of HOOKER's boys had appeared and that HOOKER had addressed them and stated that the ~~committee~~ is going to the dogs because it doesn't want to be saved.

This source indicated that recently the boys connected with HOOKER's organization have become very friendly with MADOLE because they feel that he is an able writer and is actually doing something in the Nationalist movement. He stated that these boys feel that HOOKER is not a leader and that they are beginning to lean toward MADOLE and the NRP organization.

He added that on 8/10,11/56, MADOLE and six of HOOKER's boys had passed out NRP leaflets on 86th Street between Lexington Avenue and Third Avenue. He indicated that at least 1,000 copies were distributed and these leaflets were the same ones which [redacted] had paid MADOLE to have printed several months ago.

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[] This source said that MADOLE indicated that [] had recently returned a great many of these leaflets to him and asked MADOLE to distribute them. It is noted that they carry the name of the NRP and are anti-Jewish and pro-Arab in content.

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AIRTEL

FBI, CHICAGO (105-3598)

Date: 8-3-56

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

RE: CHICAGO COMMITTEE FOR THE RECEPTION
OF NATIONALIST OBSERVERS AT THE DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL CONVENTION, AUGUST, 1956.
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Rebuaairtel to CG dated 7/25/56. Indianapolis
airtel to the Bureau dated 7/27/56, captioned "[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] INFORMATION CONCERNING." NY letter to the Bureau
dated 7/27/56, captioned, "NATIONALIST PARTY, IS - X;
REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE, IS - X."

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On 7/31/56, Lt. [REDACTED] Security Unit,
CG PD was contacted by SA [REDACTED] concerning
possible disturbances at the Democratic National Convention
scheduled to be held in CG this month.

- 3 - Bureau (RM)
- 3 - Indianapolis (RM)
- ① - New York (RM) 105-1112, 105-10615
- 4 - Chicago
 - 1 - 105-1493 (National Renaissance Party)
 - 1 - 105-3357 [REDACTED]
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AIRTEL

FBI, CHICAGO (105-3598)

DIRECTOR, FBI

RE: CHICAGO COMMITTEE FOR THE RECEPTION
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Lt. [] indicated that he was aware of these possible disturbances. Pertinent information received by this office which will be of aid to CG PD concerning these disturbances at the Democratic Convention was furnished the CG PD on a confidential basis. Additional information received in this regard will be made available to that agency in accordance with Bureau instructions.

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On 7/31/56 [] Anti-Defamation League, B'nai B'rith, 343 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois, furnished Special Agent [] the following information:

Invitations have been sent out by the Chicago Committee for the Reception of Nationalist Observers at the Democratic National Convention requesting individuals with Nationalistic tendencies to visit its service center in the East Room, Hotel Atlantic, 316 South Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois, from 8/12-15/56, from 8:00 A.M. until 12 P.M. This card was signed by the National Renaissance Party.

It is to be noted that this invitation appears to be similar to that described in referenced NY letter.

[] furnished a leaflet bearing the name of the

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FBI, CHICAGO (105-3598)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

RE: CHICAGO COMMITTEE FOR THE RECEPTION
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committee. This leaflet states that leaders of more than 500 patriotic organizations have been invited and that Nationalists desire to make their strength known to the delegates of the Democratic Convention by passing out literature expressing their views. This leaflet indicated that inquiries should be directed to the CG Committee, [REDACTED], 469 W. Deming Place, CG, Ill., Lakeview 5-9721.

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[REDACTED] It was [REDACTED] opinion that the name [REDACTED] may be a pseudonym used by [REDACTED] or EUSTACE MULLINS.

Copies of this airtel are being furnished the NY and Indianapolis Offices for information. As additional information is received regarding this matter, it is requested that the Bureau and interested offices be advised by appropriate communication under the above caption.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (105-33261)(105-35073)

August 14, 1956

SAC, CHICAGO (105-2437)

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REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE
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ReBullets to Chicago, with copies to New York,
dated May 17, 1956, and July 10, 1956.

The earlier Bulet stated that according to
the February, 1956 issue of "Right," a national convention
of "radical right-wingers" was to be held in Chicago
about July 4 (1956) under joint sponsorship of the captioned
organizations.

[redacted] Panel Source (protect
identity), advised on June 22, 1956, and July 20, 1956,
that he had heard of no information concerning this
convention.

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Lieutenant [redacted] Security Unit,
Chicago Police Department, advised on May 28, 1956,
and July 16, 1956, that they had heard of no convention
of "radical right-wingers" held in Chicago in July,
1956.

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[redacted] Fact Finding Department,
Anti-Defamation League, B'nai B'rith, 343 South Dearborn
Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised on May 28, 1956,
and July 13, 1956, that he knew of no convention of
"radical right-wingers" held in Chicago in July of 1956.

[redacted] recently stated that the Nationalist
meeting which is to take place during the Democratic
National Convention in Chicago in August, 1956, may

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- 3 - Bureau (Registered)
 - 1 - 105-new (The Chicago Committee for the Reception
of Nationalist Observers at the Democratic
National Convention, August, 1956)
 - ① - New York (Nationalist Party Info.) (Registered)
 - 1 - Realpolitical Institute
 - 1 - The Chicago Committee for the Reception of Nationalist
Observers at the Democratic National Convention,
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 - 1 - Chicago
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RE: NATIONALIST PARTY

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replace the scheduled Nationalist convention of "radical rightwingers" which was to be held in July of 1956.

Any additional information developed pertaining to the convention that may be held by a group of "radical rightwingers" at Chicago will be furnished the Bureau and interested offices under the caption "The Chicago Committee for the Reception of Nationalist Observers at the Democratic National Convention, August, 1956; Internal Security - X" and this caption should be utilized by the New York Office in submitting any information pertaining to this convention.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-10615)

FROM : SA [] (#1)

SUBJECT: NATIONALIST PARTY
IS - X

DATE: 9/10/56

Detective []
NYCPD. furnished the following information on August 31 regarding [] a member of the subject organization:

He stated that on 8/14/56, Probation Officer [] had arrested [] and placed him in the Bronx County Jail for violation of probation in that he failed to report to his probation officer, failed to cooperate with the probation officer regarding information about the Nationalist Youth League and because of his recent arrest for libel. [] indicated that a hearing was held on 8/22/56 before Judge SCHULZ in Bronx Felony Court and it was determined that [] should either be committed to Bellevue Hospital for observation or sent to Elmira Prison. A hearing on this matter was to be held 8/29/56. [] added that this hearing was adjourned until 9/5/56.

[] also indicated on a confidential basis that a letter which [] had written to the National Buyers Service, 354 E. 83rd St., NY, dated 8/16/56, from a Bronx County Jail, had been intercepted.

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It is noted that the above addresses, the address of the subject organization and this letter were actually directed to members of this organization. The letter indicated that [] believed he was being framed and he believed the police would attempt to send him to Bellevue Hospital as they had done once before. A Photostat of this letter will be made an exhibit in the subject's file.

[] further added that [] had been convicted of manslaughter in the killing of his wife in 1943 and had been sentenced to 7½ to 15 years in Sing Sing. He said [] was paroled in 1948 and is on probation until August, 1959. He stated that [] had lived with relatives while his father was in prison and had frequently been in difficulty with local authorities.

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[] indicated on 8/7/56 that he recently received information from JAMES MADOLE, Leader of the National Renaissance Party, and MADOLE had attended a meeting on 7/24/56 at the headquarters of the Nationalist Party. MADOLE indicated that about seven youngsters were in attendance and that WEST HOOKER, Leader of the Nationalist Party, had made a speech to this group. MADOLE indicated that HOOKER was irate because his name had not been included on the Committee in Chicago of Nationalist representatives who would attend the Democratic Convention. MADOLE also indicated that HOOKER was attempting to obtain help from the boys assembled to pay the rent on the party headquarters.

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This source added that HOOKER apparently is having no success in maintaining his organization as it is not progressing to any degree in achieving the aims of the Party.

This source indicated that MADOLE had stated he attended a meeting at the Nationalist Party headquarters on 7/27/56, which was attended by about fourteen youngsters. He stated that HOOKER read an article from the Bronx News about a case concerning the distribution of anti-semitic literature.

During this meeting [] appeared and was denied entrance to the meeting and threatened with physical violence by members of the Nationalist Party. MADOLE indicated that HOOKER stated that [] is attempting to obtain information for one of MADOLE's friends.

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This source could add nothing concerning this, but stated that [] who is an alcoholic and an alleged homosexual, would probably obtain information for anyone who would offer him a few dollars.

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PROBATION DEPARTMENT
BRONX COUNTY COURT
851 GRAND CONCOURSE
BRONX 51, NEW YORK CITY

TELEPHONE: CYPRESS 3-2200

JOHN N. STANISLAUS
ACTING CHIEF PROBATION OFFICER

September 7, 1956

Mr. J. J. Kelly
Special Agent in Charge,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
201 E. 69th Street,
New York City, N. Y.

Re: [REDACTED]

Our # [REDACTED]

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Dear Mr. Kelly:

Per our conversation with Agent John Downey on September 7, 1956, we are forwarding you the following information regarding the above-named who is under this Court's supervision.

[REDACTED] is [REDACTED] for the Nationalist Youth Movement, an affiliate of a group known as the Nationalist Party. This group, which numbers about 20, is headed by one West Hooker. The avowed purpose of the Nationalist Party is "to recruit and organize youngsters 13 to 20 years of age in order to build an Army of the future to wrest power from the Jews."

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The organization has its headquarters in a store at 354 E. 83rd Street, Manhattan. They have an off set printing press operated by organization members.

On July 18, 1956, [REDACTED] was arrested for Criminal Libel. The charge was subsequently dismissed on August 31, 1956 in Bronx Magistrate's Court.

It appears that between July 1, 1956 and July 6, 1956 circulars carrying the caricature of a bearded figure biting a frankfurter had been distributed. The sleeve on the hand holding the frankfurter had the inscription "Kosher".

On the engraved printing form was the following quotation: "Save City Island from the Jews - Small Christian Men of City Island. Jewish control Board of Trade. Act now, Boycott the Jews. Buy only from a Christian business man who is not a member of the Board of Trade."

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Re: [redacted]

Detective [redacted]
Squad of the New York City Police Dept. has additional information.

Hopeful this information will be of value, I am

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Very truly yours,

[redacted]
Acting Chief Probation Officer

Per: [redacted]

Probation Officer

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[redacted] indicated on 8/21/56 that JAMES MADOLE had indicated that several members of HOOKER's Nationalist Party, who had the use of a station wagon, would take MADOLE to Flushing and Astoria on 8/18/56 where they would distribute copies of a pro-Arab leaflet which had been printed by the National Renaissance Party. He indicated this pamphlet is identical to the one recently distributed by the National Renaissance Party in Yorkville Section of NYC.

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This source added that as a result of their cooperation with JAMES MADOLE and the National Renaissance Party that several members of the Nationalist Party had been expelled from membership by WEST HOOKER.

This source indicated that at present JAMES MADOLE and BEN FREEDMAN are working on the next National Renaissance bulletin. He indicated it would contain a dissertation on genocide and that CONDE MC GINLEY would do the mimeographing work for this bulletin.

This source indicated that MADOLE had stated he would hold an indoor meeting of the Party on 9/15/56 at Steinway Hall.

[redacted], Steinway Hall, NYC, indicated on 8/28/56 that to date JAMES MADOLE had not made any reservation there to hold a meeting. She added that she would advise this office if he should make any reservation in the future.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (105-33261)

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SAC, NEW YORK (105-10615)

NATIONALIST PARTY
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ReNYlet 8/3/56 and NY airtel 7/18/56.

Detective [redacted]
NYCPD. indicated on 9/10/56 that the libel action against [redacted]
[redacted] a member of the captioned organization, had been dis-
missed on 8/31/56 inasmuch as no true bill was returned by the
Grand Jury.

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[redacted] further indicated that on 8/14/56 Probation
Officer [redacted] had arrested [redacted] for violation of pro-
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failed to cooperate with his probation officer regarding infor-
mation about the Nationalist Youth League, and because of his
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was held on 8/22/56 before Judge SCHULZ in Bronx Felony Court,
and it was determined that [redacted] should either be committed
to Bellevue for observation or sent to Elmira Prison. The
hearing on this matter was adjourned until 9/5/56. [redacted]
indicated that at this hearing Judge SCHULZ, upon further con-
sideration, released [redacted] and continued his probation until
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[redacted] also added that [redacted]
[redacted] had been convicted of manslaughter in
the killing of his wife in 1943 and had been sentenced to 7½
to 15 years in Sing Sing Prison. [redacted] was paroled in
1948 and is on probation until August 1959.

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The above is for the information of the Bureau.

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201 East 69th Street
New York #21, New York

September 12, 1956

[Redacted]

Probation Department
Bronx County Court
851 Grand Concourse
Bronx #51, New York

Re: [Redacted]
Your File # [Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]:

This will serve to acknowledge the letter of [Redacted]
[Redacted], of your office, dated September 7, 1956, concerning
captioned individual.

Your interest in furnishing this information to this
office is very much appreciated.

In the event additional information concerning
[Redacted] is desired by this office, your suggestion of contacting
Detective [Redacted] of
the New York City Police Department, will be followed.

Very truly yours,

TJF
JAMES J. KELLY
Special Agent in Charge

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TO :

SAC, New York (105-10615)

DATE:

9/7/56

FROM :

SA James E. Gordon

SUBJECT:

Nationalist Party
28-X

on 8/27/56.

[REDACTED]

Larchmont, N.Y. advised that on that same date, Wes Hooker had filed a change of address

His new address was shown as 1 Intervale Pl., Greenwich, Conn. Change was to be effective 8/27/56

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WEST HOOKER is the leader of the subject group, an anti-Semitic Fascist organization in NYC. Bureau identification record indicates that HOOKER was employed at the Northern States Power Company, 1848 St. Clair St., St. Paul, Minnesota, in 1943. HOOKER has also used the names DE WEST HOOKER and LENDRUM DE WEST HOOKER, and he was born 6/14/18 at Memphis, Tennessee.

Minneapolis should attempt to verify this information and furnish all background information located regarding HOOKER.

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Re Albany Airtel 8/10/56.

WEST HOOKER, referred to in above airtel, is the leader of the Nationalist Party, a neo-fascist, anti-semitic group in New York City, which is currently being investigated under the caption, "NATIONALIST PARTY, was: Nationalist Youth League; IS-X", Bufile 105-33261.

HOOKEER was born on 6/14/18, at Memphis, Tennessee, and his current address is 1 Intervale Road, Greenwich, Connecticut. He is employed in NYC as a part-time professional model, and is the most active member of the Nationalist Party, which is composed mainly of teenage youths.

HOOKEER is a notorious anti-semitic, and has been connected with various nationalist groups in NYC in the past.

The NYO has no pertinent recent information regarding [redacted] or [redacted] since [redacted] sedition trial, except the following:

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[redacted] (use T symbol), indicated on 7/6/56, to SAs FRANCIS J. DWYER and [redacted], that WEST HOOKER, leader of the Nationalist Party, during a contact with him in June, 1956, was accompanied by a person whom HOOKER introduced as [redacted] did not learn what, if any, connection [redacted] had with the Nationalist Party, except that HOOKER had stated that [redacted] was working with them.

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[redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, indicated on 8/14/56, to SA [redacted] that he recalls that [redacted] who resided at [redacted] was associated with [redacted] in 1941 and 1942. He said at that time, [redacted] was very closely associated with leaders of the German-American Bund. He stated that he has heard nothing recent concerning [redacted] or [redacted]

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Re: [] was
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any connection he may have with []; however he knows that [] is currently publishing his monthly news letter from Becket, Mass., which costs \$24 a year.

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He added that [] recently was reported to have been in NYC with WEST HOOKER, but that he has no definite information connecting [] with the activities of the Nationalist Party.

The Justice Department has previously requested that efforts be made to obtain witnesses who can testify as to the nature of the Nationalist Party, and that it is seeking the overthrow of the government by force; therefore, it is recommended by the NYO that further efforts be made to obtain information from [] about the activities of her husband with WEST HOOKER, and the Nationalist Party.

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If future contacts with [] are satisfactory, it is believed that consideration should be [] and a potential witness in the event a hearing is held in the future by the Justice Department regarding the Nationalist Party.

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Any further information received concerning [] activities in the Nationalist Party by the Boston Office or concerning HOOKER's activities in the Nationalist Party by the New Haven Office, should be furnished to the NYO under the caption "NATIONALIST PARTY; IS-X", NYfile 105-10615.

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NATIONALIST PARTY

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ReNYtel 9/21/56, entitled "ISRAELI CONSULATE, NYC,
IS-ISRAEL".

Lt. [REDACTED] BSS, NYCPD, advised on 9/25/56 that several members of the subject group had intended picketing at the Israeli Consulate, NYC on 9/23/56. He said that they assembled at a corner near the Consulate awaiting the arrival of another group from New Jersey and when this group failed to appear they returned to the party headquarters at 344 East 83rd St., NYC. [REDACTED] added that later that night several members of this group were arrested at party headquarters for disorderly conduct.

Captain [REDACTED] 19th Precinct, NYCPD, indicated that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were arrested for disorderly conduct at 7:45 p.m. on 9/23/56. He said [REDACTED] was being held under \$500 bail for a hearing on 10/1/56 and [REDACTED] who is a juvenile, is being held at the Youth House pending an investigation by juvenile authorities. He said that CHARLES DOMMER, an elder member of the subject group, had started a fight with these two boys because they had not picketed at the Israeli Consulate. He said DOMMER was not present when the police arrested [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] but he is now being sought in connection with this altercation. [REDACTED] added that Judge POLIER, Childrens Court, had impounded party literature and insignia which was seized at the time of the arrest.

The Bureau will be advised later regarding disposition of this case.

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Subject's name and aliases Nationalist Reconnaissance Party of America			Address of subject 354 E. 83rd St. NYC			Character of case 15-X		
Complainant [Redacted]			Complainant's address and [Redacted]			Complaint received ☒ Personal ☐ Telephonic Date 9/24/56 Time 4:30PM		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace SAC DIV. 1 DIV. 2 DIV. 3 DIV. 4 SEC. 1 SEC. 2 SEC. 3 SEC. 4 SEC. 5 SEC. 6 SEC. 7 SEC. 8 SEC. 9 SEC. 10 SEC. 11 SEC. 12 SEC. 13 SEC. 14 SEC. 15 SEC. 16		
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Complainant advised that two boys, [Redacted] and [Redacted], were arrested on 9/23/56 at 7:45PM on a disorderly conduct charge. He stated that found in their possession was some literature concerning the above organization. Complainant said that both [Redacted] are members of this organization. Complainant stated that this literature was impounded by Judge Polier, Childrens Court, 135 E. 22nd St., and that Judge Polier advised him to report this to the FBI. He further stated that the FBI could go to Childrens Court and examine this literature if they so desired. Complainant advised that the above listed organization was planning to picket the Israeli Consulate, 11E. 70th St., on 9/23/56, but that not enough pickets showed up. Complainant advised that this literature appeared to be subversive in nature. <i>19th Pet</i> <i>Capst [Redacted] furnished details on 9/25/56. [Redacted]</i> <i>ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 8/11/2000 BY SP4 KUM/KMF #917698</i> Above furnished for information purposed. 105-10615-158 <i>This is probably ident. with [Redacted]</i>								
Action Recommended [Redacted] (Agent)			[Redacted]					

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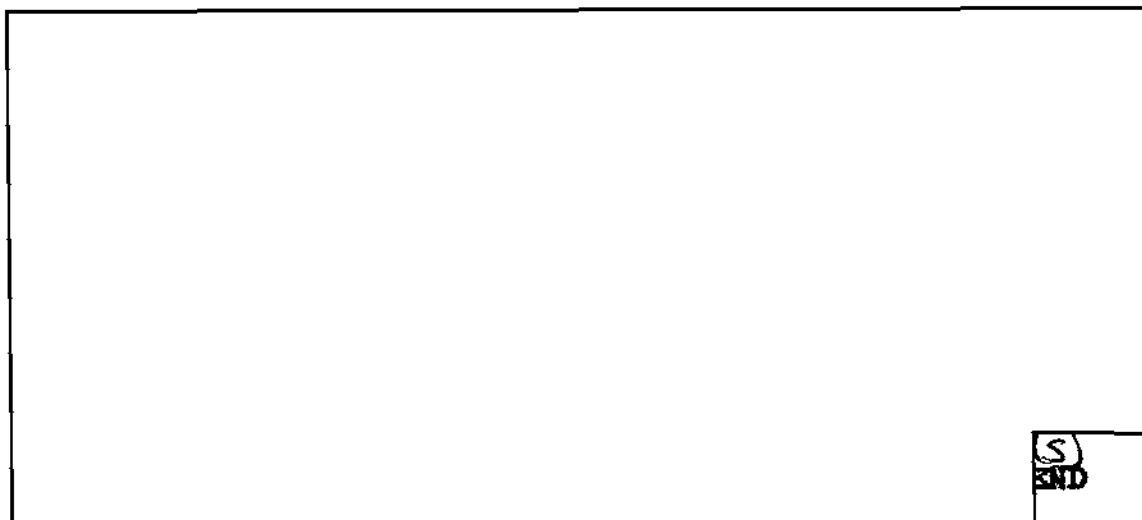
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (100-0-R)

SUBJECT: NATIONALISTS, aka.
Nationalist Youth Organization
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DATE: 10/3/56

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The following information was obtained by SA [] during the course of a TFIS investigation:

On 9/1/56, [] was interviewed regarding a TFIS matter. During the course of the interview, he mentioned that he is a member of the NATIONALISTS which he described as a pro-segregation organization having offices on East 87th St., New York, N.Y. He said he contributes \$15.00 per month to the organization and has frequented their New York Office where reading material regarding segregation is maintained. He said one WES HOOKER is in charge of the New York Office of the NATIONALISTS.

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[] said the NATIONALISTS do not have a club in the South River, N.J., area but that they are planning on organizing one. He said the following persons from the South River area have went to the NATIONALISTS headquarters in N.Y. with him:



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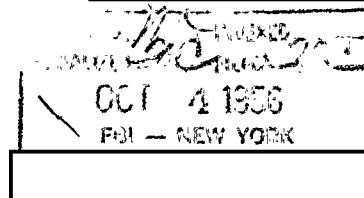
[] said [] is not a member of the NATIONALISTS.

On 9/17/56, [] (formerly resided at []

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- 1 - Newark

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was interviewed regarding the TFIS matter (Newark file 15-6947.) He stated he has gone to the NATIONALIST YOUTH ORGANIZATION meeting room in N.Y., address unknown, with [] but is not a member of the group. He said the organization is against negroes and Jews and that his understanding of the organizations purpose is to "put the Jews and the Negroes in their place." He said the organization is against Jews because the Jews allegedly advocate intermarriage with Negroes. He said he has not contributed any funds to the organization and that he has stopped associating with [].

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[] Both [] and [] advised they were born in [].

The foregoing is for the information of the New York Office.

Newark indices are negative on the captioned organization.

Director, FBI (105-33261)

October 11, 1956

SAC, Minneapolis (105-742)

NATIONALIST PARTY
IS - X

Re New York letter to Director dated September 18, 1956.

October 11, 1956
[redacted] Payroll Department, Northern States Power Company, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, they had no employment record for a WEST HOOKER, DE WEST HOOKER or LENDRUM DE WEST HOOKER.

[redacted] Payroll Department, Northern States Power Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, that they had no employment record for a WEST HOOKER, DE WEST HOOKER or LENDRUM DE WEST HOOKER.

The 1944 St. Paul City Directory lists a DE WEST HOOKER, wife [redacted], residing at 616 Lincoln Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota.

[redacted] Oakview Apartments, 616 Lincoln Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, that she had no record of a DE WEST HOOKER residing in the building in 1944. She stated that she had been [redacted] since 1943 and had no recollection of DE WEST HOOKER's residence there. [redacted] advised however that the records were rather incomplete during those years.

[redacted] advised on October 3, 1956, that he formerly resided at 616 Lincoln Avenue in St. Paul from 1942 to 1944 and had no recollection of a DE WEST HOOKER residing there.

[redacted] of the Selective Service Headquarters, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 4, 1956, there was no record of a registration for Selective Service in the State of Minnesota for DE WEST HOOKER.

[redacted] St. Paul Credit Bureau, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, there was no record of DE WEST HOOKER in the files of that office.

[redacted] Bureau of Records and Identification, St. Paul Police Department, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 4, 1956, there was no record of a DE WEST HOOKER in the files of that bureau.

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REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE 10/26/56	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 7/17,18;8/6,7,14,15,17, 21,31;9/1,10,11,15,25; 27.28.10/5,15-18/56
TITLE OF CASE NATIONALIST PARTY, was		REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED]	TYPED BY mak
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SYNOPSIS:

Subject group continues to maintain headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street, NYC, under the name of Nationalist Buyers Association. Group has been inactive politically for several months and WEST HOOKER has allegedly left the organization. [REDACTED] Party member, arrested on 7/18/56 for distribution of libelous pamphlets at City Island, NY, which case was later dismissed. Members of subject group planned to picket Israeli Consulate, NYC, on 9/23/56, but this did not materialize. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] Party members, were arrested on 9/23/56 for disorderly conduct, after a fight at Party Headquarters. WEST HOOKER presently resides at 1 Intervale Road, Greenwich, Connecticut. Background information re HOOKER and other members set out. No indication that subject group is cooperating with any other groups.

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DETAILS: All information furnished T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, was received by him from a source whom he termed reliable, but did not wish to disclose.

A. General Activities of the Nationalist Party

T-1 indicated on October 17, 1956, that the subject group continues to maintain headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street, New York City, under the name of the Nationalist Buyers Association. He stated that the group has been inactive politically for the past several months and that no significant advances had been made by the Party. He said that very little literature is now displayed at Party Headquarters and that WEST HOOKER no longer maintains leadership of the subject organization. He stated that HOOKER has become disgusted with the conduct of the members of the organization and feels that they have let him down. T-1 added that on several occasions, after members of the Party had visited HOOKER's home, HOOKER had missed various articles which he believed had been stolen by several members of the Party. This informant stated that HOOKER occasionally drops in at Party Headquarters and stays briefly but that he, apparently, is no longer directing the activities of the Party and no longer furnishes any financial support to its operation. T-1 stated that usually a collection is taken up among Party members to pay the rent on Party Headquarters and other incidental expenses connected with maintaining this headquarters.

T-1 indicated on July 17, 1956, that recently a great number of anti-semitic leaflets had been distributed at City Island, New York. He said this leaflet contained a cartoon, which was anti-semitic in nature. He said that this leaflet was signed by the City Island Board of Trade but that the Police, after checking, had discovered that there was no Board of Trade at City Island and believed that this leaflet was written by members of the subject organization. It was further indicated that WEST HOOKER has purchased a new home in Greenwich, Connecticut, and

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that he is planning to move there from his present residence in Larchmont, New York, as soon as he can arrange his affairs. He said that HOOKER allegedly is disgusted with politics and is tired of the whole matter concerning subject organization. He allegedly has stated that America does not want to be saved and that the boys who will follow him will just have to shift for themselves.

Detective [redacted] New York City Police Department, advised on July 18, 1956, that [redacted] age [redacted] was arrested on July 18, 1956, for violation of the New York Penal Code, Section 1340. Distribution of Libelous Pamphlets. He stated that [redacted] had been paroled in his father's custody and that a hearing would be held the following week. [redacted] said that [redacted] is a member of the Youth Division of the subject organization and that he had distributed anti-semitic leaflets at City Island, New York, which are believed to have been printed at Nationalist Party Headquarters, 344 East 83rd Street, New York City.

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[redacted] added that [redacted] was convicted of grand larceny in 1955 and is presently on a three-year probation as a youthful offender.

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[redacted] indicated on September 10, 1956, that the libel action against [redacted] had been dismissed on August 31, 1956, inasmuch as no true bill was returned by the grand jury. [redacted] further indicated that on August 14, 1956, Probation Officer [redacted] had arrested [redacted] for violation of his probation, in that he failed to report to his Probation Officer, he failed to cooperate with his Probation Officer regarding information about the Nationalist Youth League, and because of his recent arrest for libel. [redacted] indicated that a hearing was held on August 22, 1956, before Judge SCHULZ in Bronx Felony Court, and it was determined that [redacted] should either be committed to Bellevue Hospital for observation or sent to Elmira Prison.

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The hearing in this matter was adjourned until September 5, 1956, and at this hearing Judge SCHULZ, after further consideration, released [redacted] and continued his probation period until February 7, 1958.

[redacted] added that [redacted] [redacted], has been convicted of manslaughter in the killing of his wife in 1943 and had been sentenced to 7½ to 15 years in Sing Sing Prison. [redacted] was paroled in 1948 and is on probation until August 1959.

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[redacted] Probation Officer, Bronx County Court, Bronx, New York, indicated on September 11, 1956, that [redacted] is [redacted] of the Youth Group of the subject organization. He said this group numbers about 20 and is headed by WEST HOOKER and that the avowed purposes of the group is "to recruit and organize youngsters 13 to 20 years of age in order to build an army of the future to wrest power from the Jews." He said this organization has its headquarters in a store on East 83rd Street, New York City, where they have an off set printing press, operated by Party members.

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He added that on July 18, 1956, [redacted] was arrested for criminal libel, after circulars were distributed which contained the following quotations: "Save City Island from the Jews - Small Christian Men of City Island. Jewish Control Board of Trade. Act Now, Boycott the Jews. Buy Only from a Christian Businessman who is not a member of the Board of Trade."

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T-2, who is in a position to furnish reliable information, indicated on August 15, 1956, that the subject group is composed of about 70 members lead by WEST HOOKER. He said that they maintain headquarters in a store at the corner of 83rd Street and First Avenue, and carry on activity wherein they praise HITLER, ^{and} deride the President of the United States and the Constitution

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of the United States. T-2 stated that in this building they maintain a German swastika, a German helmet and pamphlets telling what a great person that HITLER was. T-2 added that most of the members of this group are teenagers and that they appear to be anti-semitic.

Lieutenant [redacted]
[redacted] New York City Police Department, advised on September 25, 1956, that several members of the subject group had intended picketing of the Israeli Consulate on September 23, 1956. He said that they had assembled at a corner near the Consulate, awaiting the arrival of another group from New Jersey and when this group failed to appear, they returned to Party Headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street, New York City. [redacted] added that later that evening, several members of this group were arrested at Party Headquarters for disorderly conduct.

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Captain [redacted] 19th Precinct, New York City Police Department, indicated on September 25, 1956, that [redacted] and [redacted] were arrested for disorderly conduct on September 23, 1956, at the Headquarters of the Nationalist Party on East 83rd Street, New York City. He said that [redacted] was being held under \$500 bail for hearing on October 1, 1956, and that [redacted], who is a juvenile, is being held at the Youth House pending an investigation by juvenile authorities. [redacted] stated that CHARLES DOMMER, an older member of the subject group, had started a fight at Party Headquarters with the above two individuals because they had not picketed the Israeli Consulate. He stated that DOMMER had departed when the Police arrived on the scene and, therefore, was not arrested at that time. [redacted] stated that inasmuch as neither of the boys arrested would make a complaint against DOMMER, he could not be arrested in this matter.

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Detective [redacted] indicated on September 27, 1956, that the group which planned to picket the Israeli Consulate on September 23, 1956, had been headed by [redacted]

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[redacted]. He said they failed to picket because some unknown person had failed to arrive with the picket signs. [redacted] added that WEST HOOKER has withdrawn from active participation in the affairs of the subject group and that allegedly, the above-mentioned [redacted] has been placed in charge. [redacted] said that HOOKER will now only be available to members of the Party in an advisory capacity.

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B. Individuals Connected with the Nationalist Party

WEST HOOKER

The records of the Identification Division of the Federal Bureau of Investigation contained the following concerning WEST HOOKER, FBI Number 325 693C :

"Contributor of Fingerprints	Name and Number	Arrested or Received
SOS Army	WEST HOOKER #31-WGH	appl 3-8-43
SOS Army	WEST HOOKER #107-NOS	appl 4-13-43

"Description:
Race: White
Sex: male
Height: 6-2
Weight: 195
Hair: Brown
Eyes: Blue
Complexion: Ruddy
Build: Medium
Birth: 6-14-18 Memphis Tenn
Citizenship: USA
Residence: 1848 St. Clair, St. Paul, Minn in 1943
Company: Northern States Power Co., St. Paul, Minn"

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[redacted] Payroll Department, Northern States Power Company, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, that they have no employment record for WEST HOOKER, DE WEST HOOKER, OR LENDRUM DE WEST HOOKER.

[redacted] Payroll Department, Northern States Power Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, that they had no record for WEST HOOKER, DE WEST HOOKER or LENDRUM DE WEST HOOKER.

The 1944 St. Paul City Directory, lists a DE WEST HOOKER and [redacted], residing at 616 Lincoln Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota.

[redacted] Oak View Apartments, 616 Lincoln Avenue, St. Paul Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, that she had no record of a DE WEST HOOKER residing in the building in 1944. She stated that she had been [redacted] since 1943 and ^{had} no recollection of DE WEST HOOKERS residing there. [redacted] advised, however, that the records were rather incomplete during these years.

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[redacted]
[redacted], advised on October 3, 1956, that he formerly resided at 616 Lincoln Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota, from 1942 to 1944 and he had no recollection of a DE WEST HOOKER residing there.

[redacted], Selective Service Headquarters, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 4, 1956, that there was no record of a registration for Selective Service in the State of Minnesota for DE WEST HOOKER.

[redacted] St. Paul Credit Bureau, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 3, 1956, that there was no record of DE WEST HOOKER in the files of that office.

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Lieutenant [redacted] Bureau of Records and Identification, St. Paul Police Department, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised on October 4, 1956, that there was no record of a DE WEST HOOKER in the files of that Bureau.

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[redacted] Telanserphone, Inc., 224 East 38th Street, New York City, indicated on August 31, 1956, that DE WEST HOOKER has recently moved to 1 Intervale Road, Greenwich, Connecticut.

Detective [redacted] indicated on August 6, 1956, that [redacted] and [redacted], both members of the subject organization, reside at 2532 Yates Avenue, Bronx, and are employed at [redacted]

[redacted] He indicated that the following also are members of the subject organization:

[redacted] age [redacted]

[redacted] age [redacted]

Detective [redacted] indicated on September 28, 1956, that [redacted] recently had come to New York City from the West Coast and joined the subject group, after having received some of its literature by mail. He said that [redacted] resides care of CHARLES DOMMER, Apartment 2-M, 134 East 76th Street, New York City, and is presently employed at [redacted]

[redacted] was born [redacted], at [redacted]

C. Stated Aims and Purpose of the Nationalist Party

No information regarding this heading has been received during the period of this report.

D. Action Taken to Implement the Program of the Nationalist Part

1. Meetings

T-1 indicated on August 7, 1956, that JAMES MADOLE, Leader of the National Renaissance Party, had attended a meeting of the subject group on July 24, 1956. He indicated that about seven youngsters were in attendance and that WEST HOOKER had made a speech before this group. HOOKER also attempted to obtain help from the boys assembled, in paying the rent on the Party Headquarters. T-1 added that HOOKER apparently is having no success in increasing the size of his organization or in achieving the aims of the Party. T-1 further added that MADOLE had attended a meeting of the subject group on July 27, 1956, which was attended by about 14 youngsters, at which HOOKER read an article from the Bronx News concerning a case of distribution of anti-semitic literature.

T-1 indicated on August 17, 1956, that MADOLE had visited Nationalist Party Headquarters on August 10, 1956, and that WEST HOOKER had spoken before a meeting which consisted of only three Party members. T-1 added that recently the boys connected with HOOKER's organization had become friendly with MADOLE because they feel he is an able writer and is actually doing something in the Nationalist movement. He stated that these boys feel that HOOKER is not a good leader and they are beginning to lean toward MADOLE and the National Renaissance Party. T-1 added that several of these boys had aided MADOLE in passing out literature for the National Renaissance Party.

T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, indicated on May 9, 1956, that the National Renaissance Party (NRP) at present is a neo-Nazi, anti-semitic, anti-negro organization with activities generally confined to the New York area. He said that its

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principal activities consist of holding outdoor meetings, and the distribution of literature throughout the United States and abroad where it is reprinted by similar organizations. This source stated the NRP leader and founder is JAMES H. MADOLE and its principal financial contributor is FREDERICK WEISS. He said that at present, the Party membership is very small. The April 1955 "National Renaissance Bulletin," official NRP publication, listed headquarters at 10 West 90th Street, New York City.

The NRP was the subject of a preliminary report on Neo-Fascist and Hate Groups published by the House Committee on Un-American Activities on December 17, 1954, which stated that this neo-fascist group's activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and un-American.

2. Publications

No information has been received during the period of this report concerning publications of the subject group except the information furnished in Section A, above.

3. Nationalist Party Groups in the United States and Efforts to Affiliate with Other Groups

T-1 indicated on September 28, 1956, that although members of the NRP have attended meetings of the subject organizations in New York City and members of the Nationalist Party have aided JAMES MADOLE, Leader of the NRP, in distribution of literature, there is no possibility of close cooperation between these two similar groups. He added that it does not appear that the subject group has been successful in establishing any other groups outside of New York City or increasing their members to any extent.

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T-1 [redacted]	Re general activities	10/17/56	[redacted]	Instant Report
	Re leaflet	7/17/56	"	105-10615-133
	Re meeting 7/24/56	8/7/56	"	105-10615-148
	Re meeting 8/10/56	8/17/56	"	105-10615-144
	Re NP affiliation	9/28/56	"	Instant report
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T-2 [redacted]	Re general activities	8/15/56	[redacted]	105-10615-136
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Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and T symbols were utilized in the report only where the identities of the source must be concealed.

LEADS

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At New York, New York

Will maintain contact with NY sources who have information regarding subject organization.

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The information copy is furnished to the Newark Office, which office may have future leads in this investigation.

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[] indicated the following on 10/23/56:

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He indicated that JAMES MADOLE had visited Nationalist Party headquarters several times recently and found that WEST HOOKER is no longer in charge of the Party and only appears there infrequently. He stated that the teen-age boys who belong to the Party are being led by one BILL KING and they desire to keep the headquarters going and transform it into a clubroom. He stated that someone already has moved a bed into these headquarters. He indicated that recently someone broke the front window of these headquarters and members of the Party had told him that this has happened several times within the last few weeks. They indicated to MADOLE that they believed CHARLES DOMMER may be responsible for breaking the windows inasmuch as he has been feuding with WEST HOOKER.

The source indicated that MADOLE had learned from members of the Nationalist Party that on 10/18/56, WEST HOOKER had appeared at Nationalist Party headquarters with a black eye and several missing teeth. HOOKER explained that he had been in a fight with [] of the owner of Gimbel's Department Store.

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It is noted that an article appeared in the "World Telegram and Sun" on 10/19/56, under the society column by CHARLIE VENTURA which indicated that WEST HOOKER and [] had a tondid political debate at a local tennis club.

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This source indicated that JAMES MADOLE stated he had been approached by CHARLES DOMMER with an offer to rent the front half of the store which is now occupied by the Nationalist Party. DOMMER indicated that half of the rent would cost MADOLE \$22.50 per month and MADOLE would have use of half of the window in this store. The source stated MADOLE is considering this proposition and believes it would be a good opportunity to display the Arab literature which the National Renaissance Party is now distributing. This source added, however, that it is doubtful that MADOLE would agree to this offer inasmuch as he has consistently refused in the past many offers to cooperate with the Nationalist Party when it was led by WEST HOOKER.

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NATIONALIST PARTY, was.
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Re Newark report of SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR., 8/3/56,
and Newark letter dated 10/3/56, entitled "NATIONALISTS, aka,
Nationalist Youth Organization; IS-C".

Newark is requested to reinterview [redacted]
[redacted] regarding his membership in
the subject organization and his plans to organize a group in
South River. Newark should consider interview of other persons
named by [redacted] as having attended Nationalist Party headquarters
in NYC if it is believed that they may have information regarding
this organization.

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Re Bostonlet to the Bureau, 10/26/56 and
Bureau airtel, 11/5/56.

In regard to the advisability of interviews
with [redacted] and MERWIN K. HART regarding the
subjects, the NYO believes that such interviews at this
time would be of doubtful value and could possibly
result in embarrassment to the Bureau.

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In view of the past associations that both
[redacted] and HART have had with Fascist organizations
and their possible Fascist beliefs, it is felt that
they would not be completely cooperative in furnishing
information regarding the subjects. It is also believed
that because of HART's position with the National Economic
Council that any contact by Bureau Agents might not be
held in confidence by him. In addition, it is believed
that any information which HART or [redacted] could furnish
is of doubtful value inasmuch as their contacts with the
subjects is believed to have been limited in scope and
to have transpired several years ago.

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[redacted] has advised that, to his knowledge,
HOOKER has never been in close association with [redacted]
or HART and has not been associated with [redacted] in recent
months.

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The NYO at present is attempting to develop
sources of information which it is believed have a much
more intimate knowledge of HOOKER's activities. It is
therefore not recommended that HART or [redacted] be interviewed
regarding this matter and the investigation of this subject
is being closed by the NYO until such time as additional
information is received which would warrant further
investigation. UACB.

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[REDACTED] indicated on 11/14/56 that WEST HOOKER now has a kidney injury as well as injury to his eye and teeth as a result of the beating administered to him by [REDACTED]. He said that HOOKER reportedly has instituted an alleged suit against [REDACTED] for \$250,000, however, there has been nothing in the local newspapers concerning such a suit. This source also indicated that a newspaper article, dated 10/23/56, in the "New York World Telegram" stated that JOHN BARBEY, owner of Vanity Fair Homery Mills, had died at Reading, Pennsylvania. It is noted that this individual is the father-in-law of HOOKER and has been the source of HOOKER's income through his wife for many years.

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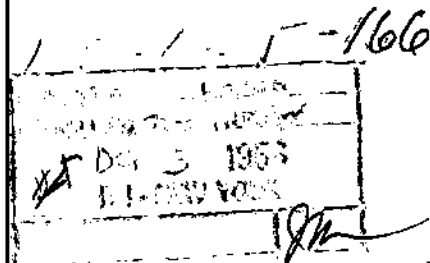
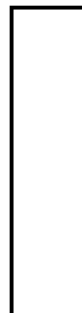
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This source indicated that the Nationalist Party headquarters on East 83rd St. is now being completely run by several young boys who sleep at this office. He said that the telephone there has been shut off for non-payment and that their electricity has been discontinued from time to time also for non-payment. This source stated that during the past week, FBI Agents had entered this headquarters and picked up one of the boys who resides there. It is to be noted that Agents of the NYO arrested [REDACTED] at 344 East 83rd St. and arraigned him before a US Commissioner for failure to register for Selective Service. [REDACTED] was released after having registered for voluntary indictment at a local draft board in NYC.

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[] indicated the following on 11/27/56:

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He stated that WEST HOOKER, former leader of the Nationalist Party had visited Party headquarters on Saturday evening, November 17. He stated that HOOKER picked up all of his books and leaflets and a mimeograph machine and left headquarters apparently for good. This informant stated that, according to JAMES MADOLE, that the only person in the organization that is remaining loyal to HOOKER is a youth called "NICK The Greek".

This informant stated that JAMES MADOLE had finally decided to utilize the Nationalist Party Headquarters for display of his literature and had advanced his share of the monthly rent which amounted to \$22.50. However, the landlord of this building evicted the Nationalist Party in November and now the headquarters is boarded and all the equipment has been removed. This informant added that there is no indication that the Nationalist Party will attempt to establish another headquarters at this time inasmuch as there are no funds available for expenses and no one apparently has taken HOOKER's place as a strong leader of the Party. Informant stated that it is probable that a few of the Nationalist Party members will become closely associated with JAMES MADOLE and the National Renaissance Party.

This informant indicated that BENJAMIN FREEDMAN continues to confer with MADOLE about future issues of the National Renaissance Bulletin. FREEDMAN reportedly is anxious to maintain his contact with MADOLE in order to use this publication as a vehicle for his views and propaganda. The informant stated that apparently MADOLE continues to get large amounts of Arab literature from the Arab Information Center and that he had intended to display a large amount of this literature for sale at the Nationalist Party Headquarters until this headquarters was closed.

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Nationalist Youth League
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NYCPD indicates that WEST HOOKER, leader of subject group, has been inactive in group since October 1956. [redacted] indicated that party headquarters in NYC was closed during November 1956 for non-payment of rent. WEST HOOKER recently moved to 1 Intervale Road, Greenwich, Conn.

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New Haven is requested to conduct investigation at Greenwich in effort to ascertain HOOKER's present employment and activities. HOOKER has previously been employed in NYC as a model but does not need to be employed as he has independent means.

The Nationalist Party is a neo-Fascist, anti-Semitic organization in NYC and HOOKER is known to be violently anti-Semitic.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-10615)

DATE: 1/11/57

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (105-3095)

SUBJECT: NATIONALIST PARTY, was.
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OO: New York

Re Newark letter dated October 3, 1956 entitled
"NATIONALISTS, aka., Nationalist Youth Organization - IS -C";
New York letter to Newark dated November 7, 1956.

On December 12, 1956 [redacted]
[redacted], advised SA RALPH DUKE POWELL,
Jr. that [redacted], his sister, and her husband moved from
[redacted] sometime in October, 1956 and she did not know
their new address. [redacted] suggested that the proprietor
of the Colonial Bar and Grill, Main Street, South River, New
Jersey be contacted inasmuch as [redacted] sister had been em-
ployed there prior to moving.

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The proprietor of the Colonial Bar and Grill was
contacted on the above date by SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, Jr. in
order to determine [redacted] whereabouts. It was not necessary
for the agent to identify himself. The proprietor stated that
[redacted] had gone to Virginia with his sister and her husband,
however, he expected that [redacted] would return right after
New Year's. He expected that when [redacted] did return, he
would come to the Colonial Bar and Grill.

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On January 9, 1957 the proprietor was again question-
ed regarding [redacted] by SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, Jr. and he ad-
vised that [redacted] had not returned.

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[redacted] South River Post Office, ad-
vised SA POWELL on the above date that neither [redacted] nor
his sister, [redacted] had left forwarding addresses.
[redacted] stated that [redacted] was formerly employed by [redacted]
[redacted] Johnny's Car Stop, Eiker Avenue and Route 18,
E. Brunswick, New Jersey.

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[redacted] South River Post Office,
reviewed the "Change of Address" cards on file, however, he
was unable to locate a change of address for either [redacted]
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[redacted] was contacted on the above date by SA POWELL and he advised that [redacted] is currently residing in [redacted] in care of [redacted], known as [redacted]. [redacted] advised that [redacted] had been employed by him for several months and during that period he formed the opinion that [redacted] was not only dishonest but he was a habitual liar. On one occasion, [redacted] attempted to sell [redacted] a 1955 Cadillac, which [redacted] admitted was stolen in New York. [redacted] advised that he informed the local New Jersey State Police trooper of [redacted] action and when it had been arranged for [redacted] to deliver the Cadillac, [redacted] said that the man who had stolen the car sold it to another individual in New York.

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[redacted] stated that [redacted] was married to a girl from [redacted], whose maiden name was [redacted] and that he had returned to [redacted] leaving his wife and two children with her parents. According to [redacted] no one expects [redacted] to return to New Jersey and that [redacted] wife and her family moved to [redacted] on January 7, 1957.

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Referenced Newark letter contains an interview with [redacted], Steve's Trailer Camp, E. Brunswick, New Jersey, who also admitted connections with the NATIONALIST PARTY. On January 9, 1957 SA POWELL determined from the mail boxes at Steve's Trailer Camp that [redacted] continues to reside at this address. A lead to interview [redacted] in Virginia is not being set out because of [redacted] characterization of [redacted] and the fact that [redacted] is not expected to return to this area. Should New York so desire, [redacted] will be reinterviewed regarding any current information he may have regarding plans to organize a NATIONALIST PARTY group in New Jersey.

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SYNOPSIS:

Subject group was evicted from its headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street, NYC, in November of 1956 for non-payment of rent. There is no indication that the Party will establish another headquarters as they reportedly have no funds and no new leader has taken the place of WEST HOOKER, who left the leadership of the Party. [redacted] and [redacted] Party members, were arrested on November 29, 1956, for burglary of a grocery store which adjoined the Party headquarters. The subject group has been inactive politically for the past several months and has held no formal meetings or published any literature. Some members of the Nationalist Party allegedly have become active in the National Renaissance Party, an anti-semitic, anti-Negro, neo-fascist group in NYC.

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DETAILS:

All information furnished by T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, was received by him from a source he termed reliable, but did not wish to disclose.

A. General Activities of the Nationalist Party

T-1 indicated on October 23, 1956, that JAMES MADOLE, Leader of the National Renaissance Party (NRP), had visited Nationalist Party (NP) Headquarters several times recently and found that WEST HOOKER was no longer in charge of the Party and appears there infrequently. He stated that the teenage boys who belong to this Party are now being led by one [redacted] and they desire to keep the headquarters going and transform it into a club room. He stated that some member of the Party already has moved a bed into these headquarters and lives there. He added that recently someone broke the front window at headquarters and members of the Party had stated that this has happened several times within the past few weeks. Party members indicated to MADOLE that they believe CHARLES DOMMER may have been responsible for breaking the windows inasmuch as he has been feuding with WEST HOOKER.

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T-1 indicated on November 14, 1956, that the NP Headquarters on East 83rd Street is now being completely run by several young boys who sleep at this office. He stated that the telephone there has been shut off for non-payment and their electricity has also been discontinued from time to time, also for non-payment.

T-1 indicated on November 27, 1956, that WEST

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HOOKER, former leader of the NP, had visited Party headquarters on the evening of November 17, 1956. He stated that HOOKER had picked up all of his books and leaflets and a mimeograph machine and had left headquarters apparently for good. T-1 added that according to JAMES MADOLE, who is very friendly with members of the NP, that the only person in that organization that is remaining loyal to HOOKER is a youth called [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Informant stated that MADOLE had finally decided to utilize the NP headquarters for display of his NRP literature and that he had advanced his share of the monthly rent which amounted to \$22.50. He stated, however, the landlord of the building had evicted the NP in November and now the headquarters is boarded up and all the equipment has been removed. T-1 added that there is no indication that the NP will attempt to establish another headquarters at this time as they have no funds available for expenses and no one in particular has taken the place of WEST HOOKER as a strong leader of the Party. Informant stated that it is possible that a few of the NP members will now become closely associated with JAMES MADOLE and the NRP.

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T-1 indicated on May 9, 1956, that the NRP at present is a neo-Nazi, anti-semitic, anti-Negro organization with activities generally confined to the New York area. He said that its principal activities consist of holding outdoor meetings, and the distribution of literature throughout the United States and abroad where it is reprinted by similar organizations. This source stated the NRP leader and founder is JAMES H. MADOLE and its principal financial contributor is FREDERICK WEISS. He said that at present the Party membership is very small.

The April, 1955 National Renaissance Bulletin,

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official NRP publication, listed headquarters at 10 West 90th Street, New York City.

The NRP was the subject of a preliminary report on neo-Fascist and Hate groups published by the House Committee on Un-American Activities on December 17, 1954, which stated that this neo-Fascist group's activities and propaganda are clearly subversive and Un-American.

Detective [redacted]
[redacted], New York City Police Department, indicated on December 28, 1956, that the subject group has been practically inactive in recent months. He stated there has been no organized Party activity since October, 1956, when WEST HOOKER had abandoned leadership of the Party. He indicated that to his knowledge there had been no political meetings held and no literature published by this group since September, 1956. He stated that he felt that without the strong leadership which HOOKER had rendered the Party that it would completely disintegrate. He added that so far as he knew, no other leader had arisen to take HOOKER's place.

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Sergeant [redacted] 19th Precinct, New York City Police Department, indicated on December 28, 1956, that the subject group's headquarters on East 83rd Street had been closed in November for non-payment of rent and to date no new headquarters has been established. He stated that WEST HOOKER apparently had dropped his affiliation with this group shortly after [redacted] and [redacted] [redacted] had been arrested in September, 1956, for disorderly conduct. He said that since this time the

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subject organization has taken no concerted action and had mainly been used thereafter as a social hangout for teenage boys. [redacted] added that he felt this group would no longer be an organization for political activities.

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[redacted] indicated on December 17, 1956, that he [redacted] of a grocery store at 83rd Street and First Avenue, which adjoined the headquarters of the subject organization. He stated that he had been acquainted with various members of the subject group while they maintained their headquarters at 344 East 83rd Street. He stated that so far as he knew there had never been any trouble with this group and he had never seen any subversive activity taking place at this headquarters. He stated that the Party was evicted about the middle of November, 1956, and several weeks later the police had arrested two members of this group in connection with a burglary which had taken place at his store. [redacted] added that he had no further information regarding the identities of members of this group or their present activities.

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T-2, who is in a position to furnish reliable information, indicated on November 21, 1956, that he had been acquainted with HOOKER and the subject group for the past year. He stated that he believed HOOKER to be anti-semitic in nature and very rabid on various subjects, but he could furnish no information indicating that HOOKER had ever engaged in any subversive activities. He stated that HOOKER had set up a company called Nationalist Buyers Service in order to sell the Nationalist Party Bulletin and also to utilize in obtaining electrical appliances at wholesale cost which he hoped to sell.

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T-2 stated further that HOOKER was never able to get this business in operation and has mainly used the company for the purpose of writing off his business expenses in connection with the subject group. T-2 stated that HOOKER has dropped all the other companies which he had previously formed including Film Networks, Incorporated. He stated that both Federal and State Income Tax authorities have been auditing HOOKER's financial records in connection with alleged violations of collecting money under these various companies. T-2 added that he believed the subject organization was practically defunct at present as HOOKER had lost interest in it and had stated that the teenage boys that formed the membership would have to get along without him.

B. Individuals Connected with the Nationalist Party

WEST HOOKER

T-1 indicated on October 23, 1956, that MADOLE had learned from members of the NP that on October 18, 1956, HOOKER had appeared at NP Headquarters with a black eye and several missing teeth. HOOKER explained that he had been in a fight with [redacted] of Gimbel's Department Store. The "New York World Telegram and Sun" on October 19, 1956, under the society column of [redacted], indicated that HOOKER and [redacted] had a torrid political debate at a local tennis club.

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T-1 indicated on November 14, 1956, that WEST HOOKER now has a kidney injury as well as injury to his eye and several teeth as a result of the beating

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administered to him by [redacted] He said that HOOKER reportedly has instituted a suit against [redacted] for \$250,000.00, although nothing has appeared in the local newspapers concerning such a suit. This informant also indicated that a newspaper article dated October 23, 1956, in the "New York World Telegram and Sun" stated that JOHN BARBEY, owner of the Vanity Fair Hosiery Mills, had died at Reading, Pennsylvania. Informant said this individual is the father-in-law of HOOKER and has been the source of HOOKER's income through his wife for many years.

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T-1 indicated on January 8, 1957, that WEST HOOKER had held a party at his home in Greenwich, Connecticut, on the night of December 30, 1956. He stated that several youths who had belonged to the subject group attended this party, but the informant indicated that HOOKER is seemingly inactive in the subject group at this time. He added at this time HOOKER reportedly looked terrible as his cheeks were sunken and his eyes looked different, apparently as a result of the fight which occurred several months ago.

T-2 on November 21, 1956, stated that at present HOOKER is attempting to buy a 7 Up bottling distributorship in Italy. He stated that HOOKER had originally arranged to buy this distributorship together with [redacted] a German National who had come to the United States in the spring of 1956. However, HOOKER and [redacted] had a dispute and [redacted] had returned to Germany, leaving HOOKER to arrange the purchase of this distributorship alone. T-2 added that in the event HOOKER is able to arrange this business, he has indicated that he will move his family to Italy and reside in that country.

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Other NP Members

Patrolman [redacted], indicated on December 28, 1956, that [redacted] a member of the subject group who was arrested on September 23, 1956, for disorderly conduct, had been assigned to the juvenile court and that his case is still pending by juvenile authorities. He added that [redacted] who also was arrested with [redacted] at this time, had been dismissed on October 1, 1956. [redacted] indicated that [redacted] Apartment 2, 865 Second Avenue, New York City, and [redacted]

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[redacted] both members of the subject group, had been arrested on November 29, 1956, for:

1. Burglary
2. Attempted burglary
3. Possession of burglary tools

He stated that the case against [redacted] had been dismissed on December 3, 1956, in Felony Court and that the case against [redacted] is still pending and he is being held for trial in General Sessions Court.

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T-1 reported on March 16, 1956, that a car with license number [redacted] had appeared at Third Avenue and 86th Street, New York City, on March 15, 1956, and appeared to be connected with individuals of HOOKER's organization.

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The records of the Motor Vehicle Bureau were furnished by [redacted] to SA [redacted] on October 23, 1956, and indicated that license number [redacted] was registered to [redacted]

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[redacted] described as born [redacted]

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[redacted], white, male, 140 pounds, 5'8".

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C. Stated Aims and Purpose of the Nationalist Party

No information regarding this heading has been received during the period of this report.

D. Action Taken to Implement the Program of the Nationalist Party

1. Meetings

T-1 indicated on December 21, 1956, that no regular meetings of the subject group had been held in recent months, but that social gatherings of the teenage members of the group were frequently held at Party headquarters on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Detective [redacted] indicated on December 28, 1956, that according to his information no political meetings of the subject group had been held since September, 1956.

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2. Publications

T-1 indicated on December 21, 1956, that there is no indication that any literature has been published by the subject group in recent months. He added that HOOKER had removed the mimeograph machine from Party headquarters in October, 1956, and this is believed to be the only machine which the Party could utilize for its publications.

3. Nationalist Party Groups in the United States and Efforts to Affiliate with Other Groups

T-1 indicated on October 23, 1956, that JAMES MADOLE,

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leader of the NRP, had been approached by CHARLES DOMMER with an offer to rent the front half of the store which is occupied by the NP. DOMMER indicated that half of the rent would cost MADOLE \$22.50 per month and MADOLE would use half of the window in this store.

T-1 stated MADOLE is considering this proposition and believes it would be a good opportunity to display the Arab literature which the NRP is now distributing. He stated, however, that it is doubtful that MADOLE would agree to this offer inasmuch as he has consistently refused in the past many offers to cooperate with the NP when it was lead by WEST HOOKER. T-1 added on December 21, 1956, that he has no further information about members of the subject group attempting to affiliate with the NRP or any other similar nationalist organizations.

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T-1 [redacted]	Re NP	10/23/56	[redacted]	105-10615- 163	b7D
	Re NP	11/14/56	"	105-10615- 166	
	Re NP	11/27/56	"	105-10615-	
	5/9/56	Used to document NRP			
	Re HOOKER	10/23/56	"	105-10615- 163	
	Re HOOKER	11/14/56	"	105-10615- 166	
	Re HOOKER party	1/8/57	"	instant report	
	Re automobile	3/16/56	"	105-10615-	
	Re meetings	12/21/56	"	instant report	
	Re publication	12/21/56	"	instant report	
	Re other groups	10/23/56	"	105-10615- 163	
	Re other groups	12/21/56	"	Instant report	

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T-2 [redacted]	Re NP	11/21/56	[redacted]	instant report
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Re HOOKER	11/21/56	"	instant report
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The files of the NYO contain no information which could be identified with [redacted]
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At Newark, New Jersey

* Will interview [redacted]

[redacted] regarding his membership in the subject group and his plans to organize a group in South River, New Jersey.

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At Greenwich, Connecticut

*Will conduct investigation at 1 Intervale Road, Greenwich, Connecticut, to ascertain WEST HOOKER's present employment and activities.

NEW YORK

At New York, New York

Will maintain contact with sources and report information concerning activities of the captioned organization.

REFERENCE

Report of SA [] 10/26/56, NY.
NY letter to Newark, 11/7/56.
NY letter to New Haven, 12/31/56.

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-10615)

DATE: 2/19/57

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (105-1572)

SUBJECT: NATIONALIST PARTY, was.
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Re New York letter to the Bureau dated 12/31/56.

On 1/31/57, a spot check made by SA [] revealed that the mail box in front of the private residence at #1 Intervale Place, Greenwich, Conn., bears the name "HOOKER."

On 1/7/57, checks were made of the records of the Greenwich Police Department by Officer [] and the Greenwich Credit Bureau by []. No information was obtained from either.

On 2/1/57, telephone number NORMandy 1-8982 was obtained from telephone information operator as the phone of "De WEST HOOKER, #1 Intervale Place, Greenwich."

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On the same date a pretext phone call was made by SA [] to the above number. A woman who identified herself as [] advised that her husband, "WEST HOOKER," is presently "between positions," and is unemployed.

In the above phone call, SA [] utilized the pretext of selling life insurance.

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A. General Activities of the Nationalist Party (NP)

T-1 indicated on March 13, 1957, that the NP has had no activities in recent months.

He stated they no longer maintain a headquarters in New York City and that no literature has been issued under the name of the Party for the past six months.

He concluded that it appears that this organization no longer is actively functioning.

B. Individuals Connected with the NP

WEST HOOKER

A spot check made by SA [] on January 31, 1957, revealed that the mail box in front of the private residence at 1 Intervale Place, Greenwich, Connecticut, bore the name "HOOKER."

The records of the Greenwich Police Department, furnished by Officer [], and the records of the Greenwich Credit Bureau, furnished by [] on January 7, 1957, to SA [], contain no information concerning WEST HOOKER.

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A pretext telephone call made to the telephone listed to DE WEST HOOKER, 1 Intervale Place by SA [] revealed information from a person who identified herself as [] that her husband, WEST HOOKER, is presently "between positions" and is unemployed.

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Other NP Members

On September 1, 1956, [redacted] advised SA [redacted] that he was a member of the "Nationalist" and that one WES HOOKER was in charge of the New York Office.

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The following investigation was conducted by the Newark Office to locate [redacted]

On December 12, 1956, [redacted] advised SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR., that [redacted] his sister and her husband, had moved from [redacted] sometime in October, 1956, and she did not know their new address.

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She suggested the proprietor of the Colonial Bar and Grill, Main Street, South River, New Jersey, be contacted inasmuch as [redacted] had been employed there prior to their moving.

The proprietor of the Colonial Bar and Grill advised SA POWELL that [redacted] had gone to Virginia with his sister and her husband, but that he expected [redacted] would return after the new year.

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On January 9, 1957, the proprietor was again questioned by SA POWELL and he advised that [redacted] had not returned.

T-2, who is in a position to furnish reliable information, advised SA POWELL on January 9, 1957, that neither [redacted] had left forwarding addresses with the South River Post Office.

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T-2 added that [redacted] was formerly employed by [redacted] Johnny's Carstop, Eiker Avenue, Route 18, East Brunswick, New Jersey.

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T-3, who was in a position to furnish reliable information, advised SA FOGLE on January 9, 1957, that there was no change of address card on file at the South River Post Office for either [redacted]

[redacted] was contacted on January 9, 1957, by SA FOGLE and he advised that [redacted] is presently residing in [redacted] in care of [redacted]

[redacted] advised that LAMONT had been employed by him for several months and during that period of time he formed the opinion that [redacted] was not only dishonest, but he was a habitual liar.

On one occasion [redacted] attempted to sell [redacted] a 1955 Cadillac which [redacted] admitted was stolen in New York.

[redacted] advised that he informed the local New Jersey State Police Bureau of [redacted] action and when it was arranged for [redacted] to deliver the Cadillac, [redacted] said that the man who had stolen the car sold it to another individual in New York.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] was married to a girl from [redacted], whose maiden name was [redacted], and that he had returned to Virginia leaving his wife and two children with her parents.

According to [redacted] no one expects [redacted] to return to New Jersey and that [redacted] and her family moved to [redacted] on January 7, 1957.

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C. Stated Aims and Purposes of the NP

No information regarding this heading has been received during the period of this report.

D. Action Taken to Implement Program of the NP

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T-1 [redacted]	Re NP activities	3/13/57	SA [redacted] [redacted]	[redacted]
T-2 [redacted] (By Request)	Re [redacted]	1/9/57	SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR.	105-10615-169 b6 b7C b7D
T-3 [redacted] (By Request)	Re change of address [redacted]	1/9/57	SA RALPH DUKE POWELL, JR.	105-10615-169 b6 b7C b7D

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The pretext used by SA [redacted] on call to subject's residence was that of selling life insurance.

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An information copy of this report is furnished to New Haven as an individual mentioned herein is residing in that division.

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This investigation is being closed by the New York Office as all logical leads have been covered and it appears that this organization is no longer in active operation.

In the event information is received by the New York Office that this group is again active, consideration will be given to reopening the investigation.

REFERENCE

New York report of SA [REDACTED]
1/23/57.
New Haven letter to New York, 2/19/57.
Newark letter to New York, 1/11/57.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-33261)

DATE: 3/28/57

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (105-3095)

SUBJECT: NATIONALIST PARTY, was.
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Re: Rep SA [redacted] dated 1/23/57, New York,
and Newark letter to New York dated 1/11/57.

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On [redacted]
[redacted] was contacted by SA ELIAS WILLIAMS, JR., re his
knowledge of [redacted] [redacted] advised that [redacted]
is presently residing in a small town near [redacted].
He related that [redacted] departed [redacted], during
the latter part of 9/56.

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[redacted] advised that [redacted] was a member of a racial
organization called the Nationalist Party in New York City,
which was reportedly against all Negroes and Jews. He stated
that during the summer months of 1956, [redacted] and three other
[redacted] residents usually attended meetings of this
organization once a week in New York City and that on one
occasion during last summer the four men helped picket Jewish
retail stores in New York City.

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[redacted] identified the three other [redacted] residents
who belonged and attended meetings of the subject organization
as: [redacted]

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[redacted] related that although he associated with the above four men he
never belonged or attended any meetings of the captioned
organization and that his knowledge of its activities resulted
from conversations with [redacted]

On 3/21/57 Captain [redacted] South River, N. J.,
Police Department, contacted [redacted]
[redacted], who advised that her brother, [redacted]
[redacted] is presently residing with his parents, [redacted]

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The lead to interview [redacted] in Spouts Springs, Va., is being left to the discretion of the office of origin.

Newark indices reflect no information identifiable with [redacted]

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 10/14/57

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

Complaint Desk 2:45pm

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Complainant [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] residence [REDACTED], Telephone [REDACTED]
office telephone # [REDACTED] advised that he represents the
American Jewish Congress, Bronx, Division.

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He advised that he received a complaint from [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] in that on Sept. 21,
1957, during the hours of 8 pm and 2am on Sept. 22, 1957,
a meeting was held at the residence of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]. He advised that his complainant had stated
that she heard part of the meeting "through the walls" and that
the remarks made by the approx. 25 people present were very
anti-semitic.

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He advised that there was no evidence of any
drinking and that the average age of those in attendance was
about 25 years old. He also advised that an other person
[REDACTED] (Ph), [REDACTED] also heard the
"loud talking" of the group.

He advised that the meeting on Sept. 21, 1957
was the first such gathering at [REDACTED] and that when
the meeting broke-up, one of those in attendance was heard to
remark that "this is a quite neighborhood--we will have to hold
our meetings here sometime!" He also advised that there were a
lot of cars parked in the area and that two individuals, one
in front and the other in back of the house, looked over the
area during the time of the meeting.

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[REDACTED] stated that he has learned from
Probation Officer [REDACTED] that [REDACTED]
is presently on probation and will be until 2/7/58. There was
no indication as to the reason for the probation.

Complainant stated that he believes that [REDACTED]
was once active in the National Youth League, 354 East 83rd Street,
New York City, until the time it was disbanded.

He advised that he wished to bring the above to
the attention of the FBI.

No action, non-specific complaint
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2 Good Scouts Nab Hot-Car

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Pair and Do Time in Cell

By Robert McCarthy and Jack Sinee

For solid citizen-like cooperation in nabbing two teen-age joy riders in a stolen car, two Bronx brothers, both Boy Scout leaders, won a dubious citation from E. 67th St. station police. It appeared yesterday in Felony Court.

The brothers were themselves arrested, spent nearly 24 hours in and out of jail cells and paddy wagons, finally were sprung on stationhouse bail early yesterday and told to show up a few hours later in Felony Court for arraignment.

Both are veterans of World War II, in which they were wounded. Both are married men with families and both are good citizens still—in spite of the E. 67th St. police. They are Hector Tirado, 37, and his brother, Esquel, 32, who appeared at 10 A. M. for the arraignment. Their bail of \$500 each on a felonious assault charge was continued, pending hearing tomorrow.

It Began When an Auto Was Clipped

How the shoe wound up on the other foot for the Tirado brothers could serve as the plot for a Keystone Kop comedy, except that it wasn't funny for the Tirados.

At about 3:30 A. M., Saturday, Esquel was driving north on First Ave. near 40th St. with Hector beside him. A sedan sped close by, clipping the right side of Esquel's car. He gave chase when the car failed to stop.

Another motorist saw the accident and cut off the sedan in the First Ave. viaduct under the UN headquarters. The brothers hopped out and asked to see the sedan driver's license.

"I haven't got a registration. This is a hot car," said the youthful driver in a burst of candor. Later he was identified as John Gasper, 17, of 515 E. 81st St. With him was Robert Whitney, also 17, of 620 E. 81st St.

Then There Is Talk About a Deal

"We both did time," went on Gasper, according to the Tirados. "Give us a break. Don't turn us in to the cops."

The brothers, who had almost \$300 between them, half of it to be used to buy camping equipment for their Scout troop, warily eyed the rangy young car thieves. Esquel reached into the glove compartment of his car and came up with a blank cartridge pistol, the kind used to start foot races.

Then Gasper and Whitney suggested a deal. "Come to my mother's house and we'll pay you off," said Gasper. The Tirados pretended to agree. In their own car they led the 17-year-olds in the stolen car out of the tunnel.

At 68th St. and First Ave., the Tirados saw Patrolman Thomas Cunningham on foot duty. They halted and shouted to him that the boys in the car behind them had stolen the auto.

"You Are Next," Brothers Are Told

Gun drawn, Cunningham ran up and arrested the two. He took them and the Tirado brothers to the E. 67th St. station.

Two hours later, with the 17-year-olds in the book for grand larceny of an auto from a garage at 511 E. 80th St., detectives told the Tirados, "You're next."

The charge, police said, was felonious assault—for pointing a gun at the youths. The Tirados protested that it was a starter's pistol, that it couldn't fire a bullet. It did them no good.

They were booked, fingerprinted and taken by paddy wagon to 400 Broome St. for photographing. There they were told their fingerprinting had been botched; they would have to go back to the stationhouse.

In a Cell, Then Case Can't Be Heard

The patrol wagon took them back, but broke down twice on the way and another wagon had to finish the job. At 3 P. M., the fingerprinting finished again, it was too late for court. Saturday night, however, they were taken to Night Court, kept in a detention cell several hours, then were told that the case couldn't be heard because it was a felony.

Back at the E. 67th St. station, a lawyer, reached through phone calls to the Episcopal Church of the Holy Apostles, 28th St. and Ninth Ave., where the Tirados' scout troop is located, finally arranged the bail.

At 2:30 A. M. the brothers left for their homes. Hector

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(NEWS photo by Ed Peters).
Hector Tirado (left) and his brother, Esquel, display
commendations recently received from Gov. Harriman.

tor, a laundry truck driver, lives with his wife and three children at 1245 Adeo Ave. Esquel, a blouse cutter and father of two, lives at 676 St. Mary's St., Bronx.

Hector, an Air Force veteran who was shot down over Germany and held prisoner eight months, was recently cited by Gov. Harriman in a letter commending five years of service in civil defense. Esquel, who is a scoutmaster, holds several citations for his scout work.

In Felony Court, Gasper and Whitney, who had spent a night waiting arraignment, were held in \$1,000 bail each for hearing tomorrow.

photographs.

[] advised that the purpose of the weapons was not indicated but the organization seemed to be dedicated to riding the country of Jews, Negroes and Porto Ricans, as the leaflets attacked these groups. He advised that the quarters were used for parties and entertaining members also which accounted for the liquor.

[] went on to state that he went to the headquarters on several occasions but nothing of any particular importance was accomplished. However about four weeks ago the group decided to go to Washington D.C. and pass out leaflets. It was at this time that he decided to stay away from the organization all together and so advised some of the members. He stated that he has subsequently learned however that the group did go to Washington D.C. where they picketed the White House and passed out leaflets attacking the Jews. These leaflets were signed "Organization to Prevent Jewish Domination in America." He advised that when some of the people read the leaflets and protested they were beaten right on the streets. [] claims that the Washington and Arlington, Va. Police are looking for members as a result.

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[] claimed that as a result of his staying away from the organization he has been getting threats over the phone, and on two occasions has been beaten. On at least one more occasion members have come to his home looking for him but left when his father threatened to call police. He maintained that this incident can be verified by the immediate neighbors. He stated that in retaliation for the threats and the beatings he wrote at least two letters to the organization headquarters stating that he has weapons and will get some of the members. He advised that he now feels that this was a foolish thing to do and that he does not have any weapons.

[] explained that the organization is made up of "toughs who seem to like to fight. It is suppose to be made up of persons of the Nordic ~~type~~ descent but persons of many nationalities are represented. He advised that the following are known to him.:

Charles Dommer - Leader

Resides at 118 9th Ave. NYC and may have other residences, White, male, 65, 5'9", 185, stocky, super of building (address unknown) and may own sign painting business. Drives old car..

Luke Dommer

W.M, 34, 5'11", 245, Blond hair, blue eyes, Is son of Charles and married to a woman of Porto Rican descent and employed as a sign painter. Drives 51-52 black Pontiac convertible.

[]
W.M, [], 5'11", 165, Slender, blond hair, blue eyes, long face, thick lips, flat nose. Son of Ches

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[redacted]
W.M. [redacted] presently serving sentence for assault
in Cocksackie Prison, N.Y. [redacted]

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[redacted]
W.M. resides [redacted] Former em-
ployee of [redacted]. Greek descent, wears
glasses.

[redacted]
W.M. described by [redacted] as a street fighter who
[redacted] Well known to members of NYC
Police Dept's 19th Pct.

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Wes Hooker
Former financier, now living in Italy and employed
by the 7Up Company.

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W.M. lives near [redacted]

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[redacted] advised that while in the headquarters one one
occasion he saw a registration book containing about a thousand names.
He stated that ~~he~~ does not know if all of these individuals were
members but did see some members names among them. He advised that
the leaflets are printed on mimeograph machines in the headquarters
and in New Jersey. He stated that from conversations with the mem-
bers he gained the impression that the organization has many
connections. He stated that one one occasion he overheard a con-
versation between a member named [redacted] or [redacted] and *Altus and he*
received the impression that this individual is an FBI agent. He
stated that he does not know how he gained this impression but
he did believe this. He further stated that he saw an FBI file
which had been delivered by the alleged FBI agent, but described
it as a group of cards *containing* a photograph and fingerprints. He stated
that these cards had numbers and said something about the govern-
ment but did not see anything that said FBI.

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[redacted] stated that the organization has a mail box, at
their 85th St. quarters under the name "Nationalist Youth League."
He stated that he threatened to tell the police about the activities
of the group in one of his letters so they may have moved. He ad-
vised that if the Bureau desires to contact him he can be reached
at [redacted] between 10 AM and noon on week days only, and requested
that no attempt be made at any other time, He also frequently re-
quested that his name and the fact that he furnished this informat-
ion be kept strictly confidential.

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*Indices reflect can file for Nationalist Youth
League 105-10615. Reg. in National Geographic Society
& Organ. to prevent Jewish Home in Amer.*

New York, New York
September 12, 1958

Re: National States Rights Party

T-1 advised on September 11, 1958, that [] had driven [] to Washington, D.C., with the intention of attending the convention of the captioned group in Louisville on August 30. However, they only went as far as Washington, D.C. This source was unable to learn the reason for this or whom they contacted in Washington. He stated that [] is the leader of a Catholic youth group in New York City and is not known to have been associated with the [] previously. This source added that Charles Dommer appears to be the leader of the group in New York City which picketed the White House in Washington, D.C., July 25 through 27, 1958, for the captioned organization, and he believes that Frederick Weiss is behind Dommer. This source indicated that Weiss is an old time Neo-Fascist, anti-Semite and recently has been acting under the direction of Sanford Griffith, an agent for the Anti-Defamation League, the investigative agency of B'Nai B'rith. This source believes the purpose of Dommer's group is to exploit anti-Semitism.

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[] telephonically contacted the New York Office on September 5, 1958, and furnished the following:

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He stated he had been urged to join the Nationalist Youth League by [] and had visited their headquarters at 206 East 85th Street, New York City. [] stated that in this headquarters he had seen various kinds of weapons, including six revolvers, clubs and knives, Nazi uniforms and

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a quantity of liquor. He said this room also contained a mimeograph machine and leaflets. [] said that about one month ago members of this group decided to go to Washington, D.C., and pass out leaflets. [] said that at that time he decided to stay away from the organization but learned that they had gone to Washington where they picketed the White House and passed out leaflets. [] added that as a result of his staying away from the organization that he had been threatened over the telephone and on two occasions had been beaten. [] identified members of the Nationalist Youth League as follows:

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Charles Donner, 118 9th Avenue, New York City

Luke Donner

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Wes Hooker

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Note: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Subject's name and aliases NATIONALIST YOUTH LEAGUE, aka. National Graphic Society, Organization to Prevent Jew- ish Domination in America.		Address of subject 206 E. 85th St. NYC		Character of case IS - X	
Complainant 		Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 9-5-58 Time 10:30 AM	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Weight	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				

(contact by phone only as instructed hereafter)

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telephonically advised this date that he had been recently re-
leased from prison where he was serving a sentence for un-
lawful possession of firearms. He advised that while he was
in prison he received a letter from Charles Dommer, a member
of the Nationalist Youth League. This letter expressed ~~***~~
~~****-*****~~ a note of sympathy for him with respect to his
conviction and stated that the Nationalist Youth League is
an organization similar to the United Nordic Federation and
he was invited to join their organization when he was released
from prison. stated that he disregarded the letter, but
upon his release from prison 7/3/58 he began getting phone calls
from who stated that he wanted to see him.
claimed he told that he didn't want to have anything to
do with him or his organization but kept calling
at all hours so he decided to meet him. They met on
7/11/58 on Queens Blvd. and at this time encouraged
 to join the Nationalist Youth League and claimed that
that organization could publish a book which was supposed
to have written. claimed that he told that he was
not interested but agreed to accompany to the organizations head-
quarters at 206 E. 85th St. NYC.

went on to advise that on 7/11/58 he went to the
headquarters located on the second or third floor of the above add-
ress. The quarters consisted of a large room and a small room. In the
large room was a table, chairs and a cabinet. While he was there the
cabinet was opened and in it were various kinds of weapons, "Nazi"
uniforms and a quantity of liquor. Among the weapons were about six
revolvers, clubs and knives. The room also contained a mimeograph
machine and leaflets. The back room appeared to be used for developing

Action Recommended

J.J. Conway
(Agent)

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New York, New York
September 12, 1958

Re: National States Rights Party

T-1, utilized in memorandum captioned and dated as above, has furnished reliable information in the past, and received his information from a source whom he termed reliable but whose identity he did not wish to disclose.

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NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
IS-X

Enclosed herewith is a letterhead memorandum regarding the above captioned matter. T-1 is [redacted] who furnished the information to SA [redacted].

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It is noted that [redacted] was the subject in a case entitled, [redacted].

[redacted] Information furnished by [redacted] concerning the Nationalist Youth League Headquarters has been furnished to the NYCPD. [redacted] also advised that he overheard a conversation between a member named [redacted] or [redacted] and received the impression that this individual was an FBI Agent. He added that this alleged FBI Agent delivered an FBI file which [redacted] described as a group of cards containing a photograph and fingerprints which had numbers on them and something about the government, but he saw nothing that said FBI,

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It is noted that the WFO has previously furnished information concerning an individual named [redacted] from Baltimore, Maryland, who helped organize and finance the demonstration on 7/25-27/58 at Washington, D.C., of the captioned group.

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The Nationalist Youth League was the subject of a case entitled, "NATIONALIST PARTY, wa: Nationalist Youth League; IS-X", Bufile 105-33261. The NYO is reopening this investigation to ascertain the purpose of this organization and the extent of its activities. This information will be reported under the appropriate caption.

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- 1 - Louisville (105-271)(RM)
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[redacted] furnished the following information on 10/2/58, which he received from a source who he termed reliable but whose identity he did not wish to disclose.

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He stated that JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party (NRP) had indicated recently that he would be the featured speaker at the Charles Smith Meeting to be held at Steinway Hall on 10/10/58. He indicated his topic would be "Jews in Modern Times" and that the meeting would be devoted to "racialism".

MADOLE has not indicated recently whether he still intends holding a public NRP meeting at Steinway Hall on 10/17/58.

This source stated that MADOLE related the following story concerning a meeting held at his residence, 10 West 90th Street, on Sunday night, 9/20/58. He indicated that [redacted] of the United Nordic Confederation, was visiting his apartment with several other people when the three DOMERS boys broke in and gave [redacted] a severe beating. MADOLE indicated that they were drunk and accused [redacted] of slandering them by calling them agents for FRED WEISS. According to MADOLE, the DOMERS stated that they do visit WEISS' farm, but they maintain they go there to obtain information. MADOLE added that [redacted] called the police, but by the time they arrived the DOMERS had left and [redacted] went to the local precinct house and indicated he would swear out a warrant for their arrest. MADOLE indicated also that the DOMERS previously had visited [redacted] home and engaged in a fight with [redacted] father.

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MADOLE also stated that LINCOLN ROCKWELL, the individual who had backed the picketing of the White House in Washington last July, recently visited him. MADOLE said that ROCKWELL indicated he was taking over the job started by WEST HOOKER who is now out and ROCKWELL indicated he had taken over HOOKER's organization including LUKE, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] DOMMER. MADOLE stated that ROCKWELL wants MADOLE to work with him and to use his NRP bulletin and indicated that ROCKWELL wants him to place a swastika on the front page of the bulletin as the organization insignia. MADOLE commented that ROCKWELL is not going to be allowed to use his bulletin and stated that [REDACTED] had tried to utilize him and his bulletin, but none of them had achieved anything.

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This source indicated that COMDE MC GINLEY, editor of "Common Sense", in Union, New Jersey, stated that LINCOLN ROCKWELL is a very gifted man and an excellent writer, but is wrong politically and is involved with ED FIELDS and other "crackpots". MC GINLEY indicated that ROCKWELL had written him a letter indicating that he is coming to NY and is taking over the WEST HOOKER organization.

DIRECTOR, FBI (105-66233)

10/27/58

SAC, NEW YORK (105-28550)

NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
IS - X; RACIAL MATTERS

ReNYlet, 9/12/58.

Referenced NY let stated that investigation of the Nationalist Party, wa: Nationalist Youth League; IS-X, Bufile 105-33261, would be reopened. However, it now appears from information in the NYO files that this group was actually revived by LINCOLN ROCKWELL of Arlington, Virginia, for use in connection with activities of the subject group.

Therefore, NYO is closing the Nationalist Party case and is submitting all information re these individuals in a report concerning the captioned organization, and conducting investigation in line with instructions in Buairtel dated 10/16/58 entitled "BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES - RACIAL MATTERS," Bufile 62-245.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

DATE: 10/16/58

FROM : SA JOHN C. SEATON

SUBJECT: ~~NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY~~
~~NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY~~
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On 10/16/58, [redacted] appeared at the NYO and advised that he had information which he felt should be brought to the attention of the FBI. He explained that he is presently a cab driver. He also mentioned that he is a naturalized citizen of the US and that he was born in Germany. He stated that approximately two weeks ago his cab broke down at 75th St. and 3rd Ave. He stated that in order to call the garage he went to a candy store which was located on Third Ave., two store North on Third Ave. on the East Side of the street. He stated that while in the store he saw two boys and a girl who were reading from German books. [redacted] who speaks with a German accent stated that he spoke with this group and that they seemed to take him into their confidence. They mentioned to him that they had an organization which they claimed was well formed. They stated that the purpose of the organization was to get rid of the Jews and the Catholics. They also claimed that one day the democratic government of the U.S. would fall and would be replaced by a government of a few ruling the majority.

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[redacted] advised that the group gave the German salute and said, "Heil, Hitler". They also produced some parts of German uniforms and some German documents. They also displayed some paper stickers with SWASTIKAS with the statement "We will be back". According to [redacted] the group sang German songs while he was there. They claimed that the organization is sponsored by an eccentric American who according to this group is in his 70's.

~~National Renaissance Party~~
 UNsub; White, female, 18-19, 5'4", 120-125 lbs.,
 blond hair and blue eyes
 UNSUB; White, male, 17-18, 5'6", 160 lbs., Blond hair
 crew cut, blue eyes, glasses
 UNSUB; White, male, 18-20, 5'9", 150 -160 lbs.,
 Black curly hair, dark complexion, dark eyes
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The following are descriptions of the youths who were in the candy store:

Race	White	White	White
Sex	Female	Male	Male
Age	17 -18	17 - 18	18 - 20
Height	5'4"	5'6"	5'9"-10"
Weight	120-125	160	150 - 160
Build	Plump	Medium	Medium
Hair	Blond, pony tail	Blond, crew cut	Black curly
Eyes	Blue	Blue glasses light brown frames	Dark glasses metal frames

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-608)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED], Complainant
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On 10/18/58, [REDACTED], an official of the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League, advised the NYO telephonically that he had received a telephone call from a man who identified himself as one [REDACTED] of the New York Chapter of the Committee to Prevent Jewish Domination. [REDACTED] told [REDACTED], "If you guys don't lay off our leader we'll blow up every Jewish center in the country."

[REDACTED] advised that he did not know [REDACTED].
NYCPD advised of call on 10/18/58.

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NY files negative on [REDACTED] they contain numerous references to CHARLES DOMMER and his [REDACTED] and LUKE. They are officials of National Committee to Free America From Jewish Domination, 206 East 85th Street, NYC. [REDACTED] also mentioned in NY references as members Nationalist Party, aka., United States Nationalist Party (Bufile 105-33261, NYfile 105-10615).

No action being taken by NYO in this matter, UACB.

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**BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES
RACIAL MATTERS**

Following is a memorandum describing the activity of the Nationalist Party, 206 East 85th Street, NYC, and recommendations as to investigation in accordance with Buairtel 10/16/58, captioned as above.

The Nationalist Party, aka, the United States Nationalist Party and the Nationalist Youth League, Bufile 105-33261, NY file 105-10615, was formed in 1955 by WEST HOOKER and was reportedly anti-negro, anti-Catholic, and anti-Jewish. It published the "Nationalist Party Bulletin" spasmodically in 1955 and 1956. In 1956 HOOKER lost interest in this group and it ceased operations at its headquarters of 344 East 83rd Street, NYC. HOOKER presently is reported to be in Italy and is not known to have been active in the Nationalist field since 1956.

In the summer of 1958, a nucleus of this former HOOKER group rented headquarters at 206 East 85th Street under the direction of CHARLES DOMMER. Other known members of this group are LUKE.

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This group went to Washington, D.C. and picketed the White House on 7/26/58, allegedly being paid for this work by LINCOLN ROCKWELL of Arlington, Va., reportedly a member of the National States Rights Party.

The following investigation is recommended in order to determine the present leaders, membership and activities of the Nationalist Party, as well as to ascertain if they advocate violence or are of such a radical nature as to present a potential for violence.

- 1) Conduct investigation at 206 East 85th Street to ascertain the physical makeup of this headquarters, equipment maintained there, and persons who frequent it, and to establish source of information at this address.
- 2) Consider feasibility of placing a mail cover on this headquarters.

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3) Consider desirability of developing a highly confidential source at this headquarters.

4) Conduct investigations of individual party members - CHARLES DOMMER, LUKE DOMMER, [redacted] and consider interviewing such members with a view to developing an informant in the group.

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5) Maintain close liaison with BSS and the 19th Precinct, NYCPD, who have been conducting investigations of this group and its members.

6) Maintain contact with [redacted] who has a source close to this group and who has furnished reliable information in the past.

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7) Contact [redacted] of the NYO, who allegedly is acquainted with members of this group.

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8) Utilize sources in the WFO and Richmond Office who are acquainted with members of this group and who previously have furnished information regarding their activities.

C
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TO : SAC, N.Y.

DATE: 10/22/58

FROM : SA [REDACTED] (105-10615)

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SUBJECT: NATIONALIST PARTY

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[REDACTED] advised on 9/11/58 that [REDACTED] had driven [REDACTED] to Washington, D.C. with the intention of attending the convention of the National States Rights Party in Louisville, Ky to be held August 30, 1958. However they only went as far as Washington, D.C. and the reason for the trip and who they contacted is unknown.

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[REDACTED] should be interviewed for complete information concerning their trip as well as any other info he has regarding [REDACTED], [REDACTED], & [REDACTED] inasmuch as they are being investigated in connection with the recent bombings in the South.

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This matter should receive expeditious attention.

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FROM : SA [REDACTED] 7-2 (105-10615)

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[REDACTED] advised on 9/11/58 that the following individuals are members of the Nationalist Youth League which is a known alias of the subject group.

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It is recommended that individual case files be opened on these members for the purpose of ascertaining their background, activities, and inclination to violence in line with buairtel 10/16/58 entitled, "Bombing and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities-Racial Matters." These investigations should be conducted with the end in mind of requesting Bureau permission to interview the individuals for the purpose of obtaining informant coverage in the Nationalist Party.

The known members are as follows:

CHARLES DOMMER, 118 or 811 9th Avenue, New York City
former address: 134 E. 76 St., Apt. 2-M
" " 1792 1st Avenue (1956)

LUKE DOMMER, address unknown (1435 York Ave. N.Y.C.?)
[REDACTED] address unknown

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[REDACTED] NY 105-5759*
FREDERICK WEISS, NY 100-111893*

The Bureau has instructed that these cases receive intensive and expeditious attention.

- 1 - 105-New (CHARLES DOMMER)
- 1 - 105-New (LUKE DOMMER)
- 1 - 105-New [REDACTED]
- 1 - 105-New [REDACTED]
- 1 - 105-New [REDACTED]
- 1 - 105-5759 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 100-111893 (FREDERICK WEISS)
- 1 - 105-New [REDACTED]

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<u>Organization</u>	<u>Bufile</u>	<u>Office of Origin</u>
American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture	105-22853	New York
Christian Anti-Jewish Party	65-15743	Atlanta
Christian Educational Association	105-9621	Newark
Christian Patriots Crusade, aka	105-53447	Chicago
Confederate Underground	105-70219	Atlanta
National Citizens Protective Association	105-16510	St. Louis
National Renaissance Party	62-83296	New York
National States Rights Party	105-66233	Indianapolis
Nationalist Party, aka	105-33261	New York
Nationalist Conservative Party	105-39509	Chicago
Silver Shirt Legion of America	61-7587	Indianapolis
White Citizens Council of the District of Columbia, aka	100-423395	Washington Field

Los Angeles files likewise disclose no information concerning FREDERICK JOHN KASPER and JESSE B. STONER not known to the Bureau and the offices of origin.

It has, of course, been brought to this office's attention in the past few years that literature issued by certain of the above organizations, namely, the Christian Educational Association, the Christian Patriots Crusade, the National Citizens Protective Association, and the National Renaissance Party (most commonly the first mentioned), has been distributed, usually by unknown persons via mail and under circumstances indicating no effort to organize branches in the Los Angeles area.

The literature concerning the National Renaissance Party has been invariably small, poorly done, mimeographed leaflets discovered during the past year inserted between the pages of books in school and public libraries in the Los Angeles vicinity, alluding to no local address or activities but attempting to interest the reader in subscribing to the organization's "Bulletin."

Of possible interest is a news article that appeared in the Los Angeles "Mirror News" dated January 18, 1955, which mentions that the National Renaissance Party had come to the attention of the House Committee on Un-American Activities, which had, in a report on "hate groups", stated one JAMES R. WHITE, billed as an "organizer" for the NRP in Los Angeles, had been a guest speaker at a meeting of the NRP in Yorkville, New York, on June 26, 1953; that WHITE had allegedly organized a fully uniformed group "in his city" and had distributed thousands of copies of the NRP's "Bulletin." The article suggested the House Committee had given WHITE "unduly high notice," adding that "whatever activities he may have engaged in for the NRP in the past now are pretty much discontinued," and that in any event WHITE had departed Los Angeles to attend the Hastings School of Law in San Francisco. In connection with this news item, it is interesting that none such mentioned activities on WHITE's part had previously come to this office's attention, and presumably were greatly exaggerated, if not total falsehoods.

The following is submitted for the Bureau's consideration in regard to the organizations mentioned in rebuairtel as existing in the Los Angeles area, along with two others which, file reviews show, fall in the category of "hate" mongers:

CHRISTIAN NATIONALIST CRUSADE, aka
(Bufile 62-43818)

The CNC continues to maintain its mailing headquarters in Glendale, California and is, along with its various "paper" auxiliaries, the media through which GERALD L. K. SMITH, aided by a staff of associates of long standing [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Dr. WESLEY SWIFT, and BERTRAND COMPARET - his attorney), maintains the publication of racially biased propaganda and preserves his following through personal appearances at meetings held in Los Angeles and sometimes in the course of tours across the country.

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SMITH and his organizations have been the subject of continuous investigation by the Bureau for many years until as recently as last year. He has not been found to advocate that his followers engage in violence of any kind, or that violence be involved in the solution of any of the problems he presents to his audiences and readers.

[REDACTED] who has maintained an active interest for years in SMITH (and the CNC) in view of his frequent

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meetings at the Embassy Auditorium in Los Angeles, stated on October 20, 1958, that SMITH and his associates, including the former California Klan leader, Rev. WESLEY SWIFT, have never committed themselves to a course of violence. He said that SMITH's organizations are not membership organizations but are only "paper" organizations, and thrive on the sale of literature, almost entirely of SMITH's own production, and the contributions from his audiences at meetings and others who approve the tenor of his literature and accede to his frequent appeals for funds. (His CNC, as a "national political committee" makes regular reports to Congress under the Federal Corrupt Practices Act, listing the names of those who contribute over \$100.)

He stated SMITH's activities are always open and aboveboard, and his character is such that were he to be approached by the authorities he would more than likely turn over the keys to his office, to the embarrassment of his interviewers. It is this openness, coupled with his unique oratorical and organizing abilities, and an excellent sense of discretion in relation to the legality of his movement, that has permitted him to endure as the pre-eminent public crusader of a "white Christian America." His continued success remains dependent on these considerations, and his being involved in any way with the illegal activities of violence, such as the bombings in the South, would be his downfall. In other words, he has too much to lose to involve himself in such activities.

[redacted] said this conclusion likewise applies to his associates, including SWIFT, over whom SMITH exercises personal direction. Moreover, SWIFT is too intelligent a man to have not come to realize with the passing of time that the course most conducive to his own interests (if he ever thought otherwise) is one of avoiding similar involvement. [redacted] added that SMITH reportedly expressed his serious concern that his organization might unjustly be blamed in some way for the recent bombings in the South. b7D

[redacted], Community Relations Committee, Los Angeles Jewish Community Center, Los Angeles, California, who has likewise maintained an active interest for years in SMITH's organizations, in concert with other Jewish investigative organizations throughout the country, stated on October 20, 1958, that SMITH's primary interest is financial and that he is too intelligent to permit himself or his associates to bring about the ruin of his whole "racket" by involvement, direct or indirect, in violence such as the bombings in the South. He said he has not heard and does not believe that b6 b7C

a serious possibility exists that SMITH or his associates have any relation to the bombings.

[redacted] of the Los Angeles Sheriff's Office's Anti-Subversive Detail, Detective Captain [redacted] of the Pasadena, California Police Department, and Detective Captain [redacted] of the Glendale, California Police Department (on October 22, 1958) were able to furnish no information indicating that the above characterizations of SMITH and his organizations are not true. All the above sources stated that they have received no information indicating that anyone or any organization locally advocates the use of violence in racial matters, or that anyone is suspected of possible involvement in the recent bombings in the South.

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"WILLIAMS' INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY"
(Bufile 105-10091)

Los Angeles files disclose ROBERT H. WILLIAMS has been engaged solely in the publication of his literature, and that there is no information that he has advocated violence in the solution of racial problems. He has, moreover, been interviewed by Special Agents on two or three occasions in the past and has always been cooperative.

[redacted] Santa Ana, California, who has been reliably cooperative with Agents of this Office in security matters on several occasions, stated on October 23, 1958, that he has been acquainted with ROBERT H. WILLIAMS for some time in Santa Ana and that as long ago as 1957, WILLIAMS ceased publishing the "Williams' Intelligence Summary" under the name Williams' Publications, Post Office Box 868, Santa Ana, of which he was the sole proprietor. He said that WILLIAMS quit because his literature activities had never been remunerative; that WILLIAMS has since moved to Silverado, California, and is now the owner and manager of the Duplicard Addressing Machine Company, 1010 East Chestnut Street, Santa Ana. He explained that during the past few years WILLIAMS had been working on the side perfecting an invention (the Duplicard Addressing Machine) and that he has recently been able to incorporate and go into business on a full-time basis. He said that WILLIAMS now retains no connections with his past publishing activities; that he never had a membership organization or advocated violence in his writings, and has made no trips outside of California during the past couple years, and could conceivably have had no connection with the bombings in the summer.

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[redacted] and [redacted] (above) both confirmed the statements that WILLIAMS is not known to have advocated violence in his articles, or to have been more than a publisher of his own writings on communism and subversive influences from an anti-Semitic point of view.

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AMERICAN NATIONALIST
(Bufile 105-22921);

KEEP AMERICA COMMITTEE
(Los Angeles file 100-33703)

The American Nationalist (AN), Post Office Box 301, Inglewood, California, is the name under which [redacted] publishes (on an irregular basis) the four-page "The American Nationalist" and miscellaneous anti-Semitic and anti-Negro leaflets, replete with lurid photographs which he mails locally and allegedly to addressees in the southern states. [redacted] and the AN have been the subject of previous investigation by this Office in 1953 and again in 1956. At those times it was learned that [redacted] operates alone and is engaged solely in the sale of his own literature, making frequent appeals for subscriptions to his literature and donations to continue his efforts.

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R. GLENN SKIRVIN, Postmaster, Inglewood, California, stated on October 22, 1958, that [redacted] AN has been investigated by the Postal Inspectors on four or five different occasions, but has never been found to have misused the mails, having never advocated the use of violence in his literature. He said that [redacted] frequently visits the Post Office to deposit batches of his literature in the mails, destined to addressees locally and in the southern states. He added that the AN is not a membership organization, conducts no meetings, and is solely operated by [redacted] for the purpose of selling his literature and seeking donations, through these means "earning" a living for himself and his wife. He added that [redacted] is not the sort to get along with others and he has never sought the association of others in his AN.

The Keep America Committee (KAC), Box 3094, Terminal Annex, Los Angeles, California, is, similarly, a name behind which [redacted] publishes literature, usually reprints of other "nationalist" literature. None of the various items that have come to this Office's attention advocates violence,

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seeks membership or mentions organized activity, but only indicates that the particular items can be ordered in batches at a price from the KAC.

[redacted] and [redacted] (above) both state that their organizations have been actively interested in [redacted] AN and COURTOIS' KAC and have learned that the AN and KAC are not and have never sought to be membership organizations, hold no meetings and are operated solely by [redacted] and COURTOIS for the production of literature. They stated that neither is known to have advocated violence or to have been associated with anyone who has. [redacted] added that COURTOIS is a woman in her later 50's or early 60's. They stated that it is not conceivable that either [redacted] or COURTOIS have any connection with the bombings in the South and that neither has the ability nor the funds to engage in any activities outside the state, except for the mailing of literature.

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[redacted] of the Anti-Subversive Detail of the Los Angeles Sheriff's Office; Detective Captain [redacted] of the Pasadena, California, Police Department; Detective Captain [redacted] of the Glendale, California, Police Department, and Detective Lieutenant [redacted] of the Inglewood, California, Police Department (on October 22, 1958), were able to furnish no additional pertinent information concerning [redacted] and COURTOIS.

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GENERAL

All of the above-mentioned sources stated they have received no information indicating anyone or any organization locally advocates the use of violence in racial matters, or that anyone is suspected of involvement in the recent bombings in the South.

Contact with security informants and all other logical informants and sources has been unproductive but has served to alert them to the importance of immediately forwarding information concerning persons or organizations possibly relating to bombings in the South to this Office. Contact with them will be maintained on a continuing basis.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that no active investigation be undertaken in connection with the "Williams' Intelligence

Summary" in view of its discontinuance almost one year ago, and WILLIAMS' disassociation from his past activities, being presently absorbed in his new business. It is also considered, being "one-man" operations of a nonmembership type engaged in issuing literature, investigations of [redacted] American Nationalist and COURTOIS' Keep America Committee are not warranted and would be ineffective in achieving the Bureau's primary purpose in these investigations; consequently, no active investigation will be conducted of these three organizations, UACB.

With regard to SMITH's Christian Nationalist Crusade: From investigation conducted in the past (until 1957), the continuing review of literature emanating from the CNC and the continuing attention it receives from local sources, a presumptive pattern has been established indicating that SMITH and his associates are not of such a radical nature as to present a potential for violence, except, of course, insofar as deep-seated, racial ill-feeling is engendered in some readers of his literature. In investigating SMITH and his associates to ascertain whether the above-mentioned presumptive pattern does not apply equally to their activities when outside of California, it would seem necessary to establish a source among SMITH's inner staff which, it is believed, would constitute a grave risk of embarrassment to the Bureau, because it is apparent that the interests of each associate is the interest of all. Other investigative steps, it is believed, could hardly achieve the primary purpose for initiating investigation.

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The Bureau is requested to advise whether it desires the risk be undertaken, nevertheless, or whether it is thought a direct approach to SMITH and/or any of his associates, and for that matter [redacted] WILLIAMS and COURTOIS, for any information they may have heard in connection with the southern bombings, is not warranted. SMITH may, in the past, have ridiculed the idea of the FBI investigating him and his organization(s), but it is not recalled that he has been critical of the Director or the FBI.

This Office will, in addition, review its files to identify certain individuals who may have participated in Klan activities years ago to establish their present activities and to determine if they might properly be considered within the Bureau's program.

DIRECTOR, FBI (105-33261)

10/23/58

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-44441)

NATIONALIST PARTY, aka
United States Nationalist Party
IS - X; RACIAL MATTERS
OO: New York

Rebuisairtel 10/16/58, entitled "BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES, RACIAL MATTERS."

A check of indices and sources of the San Francisco Office fails to reflect any identifiable information of value concerning the captioned organization.

The San Francisco Office will continue to be alert for any information concerning this organization and will advise the Bureau and Office of Origin should San Francisco obtain any information.

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1 - New York (REG)

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SAC, BALTIMORE (100-21197)

BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES
RACIAL MATTERS

NATIONALIST PARTY, aka.

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Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 10/16/58.

There is set forth below the results of a search of the indices of the Baltimore Division, for pertinent information which has not been previously furnished your office.

On 8/24/58, [redacted], American Legion, Baltimore, Maryland, advised SA FRED S. BAUKNIGHT telephonically that he had received word from an unidentified source that an Anti-Semitic meeting was to be held by one WEST HOOKER in a private home and that [redacted] were to attend.

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An article in The Sun, a Baltimore, Maryland daily newspaper, on July 3, 1948, stated " 'Communism Exposed' will be the theme of addresses to mark a meeting at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, at 100 North Paca Street, of the Nationalist Party, DAVAGE E. SMITH, National Chairman and State Organizer, announced last night."

- 3 - New York (REGIS. MAIL)
- 3 - Bureau (105-33261) (REGIS. MAIL)
- 2 - Baltimore (100-21197)
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-245)

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (105-4088)

SUBJECT: BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 10/28/58

Re Buairtel 10/16/58.

Set forth below is information requested in re Buairtel. Copies are being designated for the files of interested offices.

- 2 - Bureau (62-245) (Registered Mail)
- 3 - Atlanta (Registered Mail)
- (1 - Bombings and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities)
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- (1 - Confederate Underground)
- 3 - Chicago (Registered Mail)
- (1 - Bombings and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities)
- (1 - Christian Patriots Crusade)
- (1 - Nationalist Conservative Party)
- 3 - Indianapolis (Registered Mail)
- (1 - Bombings and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities)
- (1 - National States Rights Party)
- (1 - Silver Shirt Legion of America)
- 3 - Los Angeles (Registered Mail)
- (1 - Bombings and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities)
- (1 - Christian Nationalist Crusade)
- (1 - "Williams Intelligence Summary")
- 2 - Newark (Registered Mail)
- (1 - Bombings and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities)
- (1 - Christian Educational Association of Union, N. J.)
- 4 - New York (Registered Mail) (Encl. -1)
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- (1 - National Renaissance Party)
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 - (1 - 105-4090) - Bombing Cases Having Apparent Racial or Religious Basis)

AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR THE
ADVANCE OF WESTERN CULTURE

OO - New York
BUFile 105-22853
PHFile 105-1276

Rerep SA ALEXSO POPTANICH dated 9/15/53 at Chicago, captioned as above, copies of which were received by the Bureau and New York.

Rerep SA THOMAS F. HANNIGAN dated 10/13/53 at Philadelphia, captioned as above. Dissemination was made to the Bureau, Newark and Philadelphia. One Philadelphia copy is being transmitted herewith to the New York Office. It is noted that Newark is listed as Office of Origin on above reports. No additional information located in files of Philadelphia Office.

CHRISTIAN ANTI-JEWISH PARTY

OO - Atlanta
BUFile 65-15743
PHFile 105-1174

Rerep SA dated 3/6/53 at Atlanta, captioned as above.

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Philadelphia Office is in possession of no additional information other than rerep.

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CHRISTIAN EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF UNION, NEW JERSEY

OO - Newark
BUFile 105-9621
PHFile 105-1646

Rereps SA WILLIAM G. BEDELL dated 12/28/56 and 3/20/57 at Newark.

Files of the Philadelphia Office reflect the following re captioned organization, not already in possession of Office of Origin and the Bureau.

On 12/20/54, [REDACTED], who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised SA HOWARD A. SEARL that copies of the 11/54 issues of "Common Sense" had been distributed at the U. S. Navy Yard by unknown individuals. ONI was advised at that time. b7D

The "Daily Worker" issue of 1/9/55, Page 15, Column 4, contained an article stating that AUGUST F. WALZ, Mayor of Wilmington, Delaware, last week condemned as "vicious and scurrilous the anti-Negro and anti-Communist tabloid publication 'Common Sense', which had been mailed to people in that area.

On 2/19/57, [REDACTED], who has furnished information to the Philadelphia office in the past, an employee of the Philadelphia Jewish Community Relations Council, 260 South 15th Street, advised SA ROY L. TUSSEY as follows:

[REDACTED] stated his organization had received inquiries from the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce regarding the White Citizens Councils of the District of Columbia, also known as Seaboard White Citizens Councils. [REDACTED] persuaded a friend of his to correspond with JOHN KASPER, Executive Secretary, "Seaboard Citizens Council." As a result, a letter was received from FLOYD FLEMING, Vice President of the Seaboard White Citizens Councils, which enclosed numerous copies of b6 b7C

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"Comon Sense." These items were furnished to [redacted] who in turn furnished them to the Philadelphia Office of the FBI.

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On 7/17/57, [redacted] personally appeared at the Philadelphia Office and stated to SA WILLIAM M. McCLURE that the Jews are infiltrating every commercial, political and religious organization in the U. S. She described herself as a patriot who is watchful of the American way of life.

She said she has documentary evidence to support her statement that President EISENHOWER is partially Jewish and Negro. She left an issue each of "Common Sense" and "Williams Intelligence Summary."

[redacted] (protect), with whom sufficient number of contacts have not been made to establish their reliability, in 8/57 advised SA J. CLIFFORD OUSLEY that the Levittown Betterment Association (LBA) was formed after the [redacted] family moved to Levittown. The [redacted] family is the first Negro family to move into the previously all white community in Levittown. The LBA was opposed to integration in Levittown. Informants stated that after the LBA was formed it had been contacted by a group of people from Union, New Jersey, who offered assistance in the LBA's activities against integration, including facilities of printing equipment. Literature opposing integration was left with officers of the LBA, and subsequently one of the officers of the LBA received literature from Union, New Jersey, including a copy of "Common Sense."

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On 10/28/57, [redacted], Chief of Police, Bristol Township, Pa., advised SA J. CLIFFORD OUSLEY that she had heard that the publication "Common Sense" was being distributed in Levittown.

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On 4/10/58, [redacted] was interviewed by SAs [redacted] and J. CLIFFORD OUSLEY. During the course of the interview, [redacted] said that in the fall of 1957 he and two other

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individuals went to Union, New Jersey, where they contacted CONDE MCGINLEY, Editor of "Common Sense." He said he subscribes to the paper and considers it a worthwhile paper. He also expressed admiration for MCGINLEY. He said he had shown copies of "Common Sense" to his supervisor at his place of employment, but had never distributed the paper.

[redacted] advised that if he learns of any crimes of violence he would contact the FBI.

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CHRISTIAN NATIONALIST CRUSADE

OO - Los Angeles
BUFile 62-43818
PHFile 105-1743

Rerep SA TOLLEF JACOBSON, JR. dated 10/13/54 at Washington, D. C., captioned as above, copies to Bureau and Los Angeles; letter to Los Angeles 11/2/56, captioned as above, from Newark, no cc to Bureau; and letter to Los Angeles from Newark dated 5/1/57, captioned as above, no cc to Bureau.

A newspaper clipping from the Philadelphia Inquirer, dated 5/2/47, reflects that GERALD L. K. SMITH, former Director of the America First Committee, spoke at a meeting at Town Hall, Philadelphia, the previous evening. This meeting was attended by 300 persons while pickets paraded outside the building. SMITH, the National Director of the Christian Nationalist Crusade, on this occasion spoke at a rally sponsored by the Philadelphia Christian Nationalist Committee of which [redacted] of the National Blue Star Mothers was Secretary.

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On 12/5/51, [redacted] complainant, appeared at the Philadelphia Office and was interviewed by SA FURMAN N. GREER. He stated that a few days prior to this interview he

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was contacted by [] and requested to read some literature that [] presented to him at this time. The name of the publication was "The Cross and the Flag," published in St. Louis, Mo.

The contents of this publication brought out the fact that GERALD L. K. SMITH plays a large part in dictating the policy of the publication. [] also stated that BLACK told him that SMITH heads the organization, the Christian Nationalist Party. Complainant further stated that in his opinion the articles appearing in the publication seemed anti-Communist and anti-Semitic. [] stated that a newsstand at the S.E. Corner 13th Street between Market and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, according to [] was selling the above-mentioned publication.

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[] advised also that [] had invited him to attend a meeting in the near future of the Christian Nationalist Party.

There is no indication that [] attended the meeting as requested.

CHRISTIAN PATRIOTS CRUSADE
also known as American Christian
Patriots Party

The files of the Philadelphia Office contain no record of captioned organization.

CONFEDERATE UNDERGROUND

The files of the Philadelphia Office contain no record concerning the Confederate Underground.

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NATIONAL CITIZENS PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

OO - St. Louis - 100-10834
BUFile 105-16510
PHFile 105-1457

Rerep SA [] 5/17/54 at St. Louis,
copies to Bureau.

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Letter SAC, Philadelphia to SAC, St. Louis, 10/9/57,
captioned NATIONAL CITIZENS PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION, INC.,
IS - X - no cc to Bureau. Items of literature furnished to
St. Louis.

Miscellaneous items of literature furnished from
various sources, which were issued by captioned organization,
have been furnished to St. Louis, Office of Origin, on sev-
eral occasions.

No other identifiable data.

NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY

OO - New York - 105-6112
BUFile 62-83296
PHFile 105-1266

In connection with captioned organization, all
information has already been reported to New York, the Office
of Origin, and the Bureau.

NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY

OO - Indianapolis
BUFile 105-66233
PHFile 105-3918

The Philadelphia Office has no information concerning
the above group.

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Informants at Philadelphia were contacted with negative results and the Bureau was so advised by letter dated 8/7/58.

NATIONALIST PARTY aka

OO - New York
BUFile 105-33261
PHFile 105-2500

Re New York airtel to Philadelphia 5/14/56 and Philadelphia airtel to New York 5/28/56.

Re New York airtel stated that [redacted] [redacted], had attended a meeting of subject group on 11/26/54 at Midston House, New York City. Philadelphia requested to interview [redacted] to ascertain availability and willingness to testify in proceeding concerned with possible designation of subject group pursuant to Executive Order 10450. b7D

[redacted] was interviewed 5/22/56 by Philadelphia Agents, stating she did not wish to testify under any circumstances.

No other information.

NATIONALIST CONSERVATIVE PARTY

OO - Chicago
BuFile 105-39509

The Philadelphia Office has no information concerning the above group.

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SILVER SHIRT LEGION OF AMERICA
aka The Silver Shirts

OO - Indianapolis
BUFile 61-7587

Re report of SA [redacted] at Philadelphia, dated 8/20/41, captioned ACTIVITIES OF SILVER SHIRTS AND KU KLUX KLAN ORGANIZATIONS IN WILKES BARRE, PA. Dissemination was made to Bureau and Philadelphia.

Instant report reflects that [redacted] advised SA [redacted] on 3/21/51 that the Silver Shirts constitute an anti-Semitic and anti-foreign organization and are in his opinion 100% pro-American. He believed there were 26,000 Silver Shirt members in Luzerne County alone. It was his understanding that the Ku Klux Klan was a branch organization of the Silver Shirts and that these two organizations met together between Kingston and Forty Fort, Pa.

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Mr. IRVIN S. SHRODE, Director, Immigration and Naturalization Service, and others advised SA [redacted] that [redacted] has very little knowledge of these matters and they considered his comments of negligible value.

On 6/14/50, Chief of Police JOHN GOOD, Williamsport, Pa., advised that he had heard from the American Legion Post that a chapter of Silver Shirts, consisting mostly of Italians, was being formed.

On 6/17/40, Chief of County Detectives [redacted] District Attorney's Office, Norristown, Pa., telephonically advised that he had heard that a chapter of Silver Shirts had been formed in Pottstown six or seven months previously. (Furnished to SA C. E. WEEKS).

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A Confidential Informant of a local G-2 representative, whose reliability was unknown but who was alleged to be closely associated with CP leaders in Denver, Colorado, furnished a list of organizations and individuals which were claimed by CP leaders to be actively pro-Nazi and anti-Britain. This list, which was dated 12/10/41, carried the name, Silver Shirts, Indianapolis and Noblesville, Ind.

Report of SA FRED G. COOK dated 10/27/43 at Philadelphia, captioned, WASHINGTON GUARDS ASSOCIATION, INC.: ARYAN ASSOCIATION, IS - C, reflects a signed statement by [redacted]

[redacted] dated 9/10/43 at Reading, Pa., which reflects that "Members of the Washington Guards Association, Inc., were promised a year's subscription to PELLELY's paper, the 'Liberator,' this to be included as part of the membership fee of \$10.00. I had subscribed to PELLELY's paper, which was first called 'Liberation,' in 1933 or 1934 and continued my subscription to the time the publication was discontinued. I joined the Silver Shirt Legion in 1935 or 1936. There were not over ten persons in the Reading unit of the Silver Shirts which was headed by a Regional Director whom I recall as being a machine shop employee from Pottstown, Pa.

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"The initiation fee for the Silver Shirts was \$10 or \$15 and no dues were paid thereafter although the members bought PELLELY's publications and also booklets in the form of scripts which were written by PELLELY and issued monthly or semi-monthly.

"In the beginning the Silver Shirt movement appeared to be purely religious with no political element present. Around 1937 - 38 the scripts began to deal with the manner in which the Jews controlled international finance and became anti-Semitic. During the meetings the Regional Director would first read a script written by PELLELY and after this discussion of the script was had among the members. No large meetings of the Silver Shirts were held in Reading. In 1935 or 1936 PELLELY's headquarters at Asheville, N. C., advised us of a meeting of the anti-Communist group in the Broadwood Hotel in Philadelphia.

"Meetings of the Silver Shirts in Reading continued for around a year and a half and then ceased. I do not know

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the exact date the group dissolved locally. To my knowledge, they were not connected with the German-American Bund in any way, we had no correspondence with the Bund and our members did not attend their functions"

Reference is made to the following reports:

Report of SA R. L. FAGAN dated 8/16/34 at Charlotte

Report of SA C. J. MARTIN dated 9/1/34 at Philadelphia

Report of SA J.L. DALTON dated 9/21/34 at New York

Report of SA C. J. MARTIN dated 10/11/34 at Philadelphia

all captioned WILLIAM DUDLEY PELLEY; ROBERT C. SUMMERVILLE, Et Al, GALAHAD PRESS, INC., THE FOUNDATION FOR CHRISTIAN ECONOMICS, INC.; THE SILVER SHIRT LEGION OF AMERICA, INC., NATIONAL BANKRUPTCY ACT. Copies of the above reports were sent to the Bureau. They relate to bankruptcy proceedings, concerning GALAGHAD PRESS, INC., which was adjudicated bankrupt 5/1/34.

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WHITE CITIZENS COUNCIL OF
THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,
aka. WASHINGTON WHITE
CITIZENS COUNCIL

OO - WFO

BUfile - 100-423395

WFO File - 100-33226

PH File - 105-2702

The files of the Philadelphia Office reflect that [redacted], a prolific letter writer and distributor of various types of anti-Semitic and anti-Negro literature, has been connected with the White Citizens Council (WCC). There is no information indicating the existence of a formal WCC organization in Philadelphia. In this connection, however, the "Philadelphia Tribune," a Negro newspaper, in its issue of 10/21/58, Page 1, Column 2, contained an article captioned, "Race Hate Fanatics Make Jews, Negroes Targets of Attacks." This article states that a "fanatical white segregation group has been organized in the heart of West Philadelphia with the aim of terrorizing and persecuting the Negro and Jewish citizens of this city." The article continues that the "Philadelphia Tribune" has learned through "extremely reliable sources" that an officer of the White Citizens Councils of the South has opened a branch headquarters in the vicinity of 44th and Locust Streets, an interracial community. From an apartment in this area, not further identified, the local "president" of the group reportedly has mailed out thousands of pamphlets and letters to white residents in which Negroes and Jews are defamed.

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The pamphlets urge that the reader join in the "race-hate organization" which has as its first mission the destruction of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) in Philadelphia, and, secondly, the passage of legislation which would bring about segregation in local restaurants, theaters, hotels, public housing, and churches. The article states that while the group has little hope of achieving its two major objectives, it has, "nevertheless, managed to recruit several hundred members into the race baiting cult."

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While the article failed to identify the local organizer or give the exact address of the WCC, it described the local organizer as a "diminutive, cringing, furtive man who moved into the West Philadelphia apartment about three years ago. Last year he reportedly ordered and received 100 White Citizens Council membership cards from Texas. He has, on occasion, also received large batches of membership cards from Alabama, Mississippi, and Georgia. This individual also reportedly receives copies of White Citizens Council periodicals from Jackson, Miss., which are described as "the most inflammatory of all which are permitted to go through the mails."

The article states further that several weeks ago, the local organizer placed a shingle outside his apartment house door proclaiming himself as the local representative for the National Association for the Advancement and Improvement of White People. Criticism by white and Negro residents of the neighborhood was so intense that he removed the shingle after allowing it to remain outside his apartment door for only one day.

In connection with the above, the Philadelphia Office, on October 23, 1958, through SA EDWARD A. SMITH contacted U. S. Post Office Inspector in Charge A. J. HARKINS on the above. He stated his office has received no information or complaints regarding literature being mailed which emanated from the area of 44th and Locust Streets. He stated he will advise this office immediately of any information whatsoever concerning this matter, particularly any data which identifies or will help to identify the local "president."

On 10/24/58, Officer MAX WEISS, of the "Gang Control Unit," Juvenile Aid Division, Philadelphia Police Department, was apprised of the above by SAs EDWARD A. SMITH and OTIS L. BURTON. He stated that he had no information concerning the existence of the group at 44th and Locust Streets.

On 10/24/58, SA OTIS L. BURTON telephonically contacted Confidential Source [redacted] (protect identity), [redacted] concerning the above-mentioned newspaper article.

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[] advised that he had read the above newspaper article and was extremely concerned with the contents of it. Inasmuch as the article indicates that the "Philadelphia Tribune" may have additional information concerning the identity of the individual sending literature, as well as more information concerning the activities of this group, it was felt that every effort should be made to obtain this information from the "Philadelphia Tribune." This matter was discussed with [] who is a close personal friend of [] of the "Philadelphia Tribune." [] advised that he would be able to contact [] concerning the contents of the article without any suspicion being aroused whatsoever, inasmuch as the article contains a threat by the group to destroy the NAACP. [] advised that he will obtain all possible information from [] on this matter and make same known immediately to the Philadelphia Office of the FBI.

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With further regard to [] he has been described as a front man for JOHN F. KASPER in an organization drive aimed at establishing a Philadelphia chapter of the Seaboard White Citizens Council. (Source: "Philadelphia Inquirer," 2/17/57, Page 6, Column 1.)

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[] was discharged from his job at the Progressive Manufacturing Company, Philadelphia, for allegedly attempting to recruit members into the WCC.

In 4/57, [] (protect identity), [] advised that [] admitted in his presence that he was a member of the WCC and, on this occasion, [] made several anti-Semitic and anti-Negro statements. Informant observed quantities of literature in [] apartment which included considerable anti-Semitic and anti-Negro literature, as well as Congressional releases on Communist Party fronts and persons connected with the Communist Party. Also noted were a number of pamphlets concerning Egypt and other countries. When asked point blank as to whether he headed the WCC in Philadelphia, [] declined to answer, stating, "There are bigger ones than me here," without further elaboration.

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WF-1026-S* on 12/11/57 furnished data indicating [] [] was a member of the WCC, was on the mailing list thereof, and corresponded with and supported the policies of JOHN KASPER.

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[] recently solicited literature from Arab establishments in Washington, D. C., and, thereafter, distributed this literature in the Philadelphia area while employed as a plant guard by the Pinkerton National Detective Agency. As a result of this action, he was dismissed by Pinkerton.

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The Bureau and WFO are aware of THESING's activities. [] Bureau file is [] A Philadelphia file [] has been opened concerning [] last known address is []

The Philadelphia Office contemplates the following action concerning the WCC and []:

1. Investigation will be conducted to identify the individual or individuals connected with the group described in the newspaper article above whose activities are concentrated in the area of 44th and Locust Streets.
2. [] current address and employment will be ascertained. Consideration will be given to placing a trash cover and a mail cover on [] to determine further activities on his part.
3. Attempts will be made to develop informant and source coverage of [] activities in this area.
4. Consideration will be given to interview with []

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"WILLIAMS INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY"

OO - Los Angeles
Bufile - 105-10091

The files of the Philadelphia Office contain the following references to captioned organization:

On 9/13/50, Confidential Source PH-48-S furnished SA RICHARD W. HANSEN with several pamphlets and publications believed to have been in the possession of W. HENRY MAC FARLAND, Director of the Nationalist Action League (the Nationalist Action League has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450). Information concerning MAC FARLAND will be set forth later in this letter.

Included in the information furnished by PH-48-S was the "Williams Intelligence Summary" published by ROBERT H. WILLIAMS, Box 868 Santa Ana, Calif.

On 7/17/57, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], furnished SA WILLIAM M. MC CLORE, Jr., a copy of the "Williams Intelligence Summary" (Exhibit 105-1646-1A-9). Further information concerning [REDACTED] contact with the Philadelphia Office is set forth in this letter under the heading "Christian Education Association of Union, New Jersey."

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OTHER SO-CALLED "HATE ORGANIZATIONS"
LOCATED IN THE PHILADELPHIA DIVISION

NATIONAL BLUE STAR
MOTHERS OF AMERICA

OO - Philadelphia
Bufile - 100-54502
PH File - 100-3848

Rereps SA ROBERT J. LUMPKIN dated 5/13/54 and ROY L. TUSSEY dated 1/16/56, both at Philadelphia.

The report of 5/13/54 reflected that National Blue Star Mothers of America (NBSMA) mailing address was 5200 Warren Street, Philadelphia. The only reported activity consisted of opposition to the Community Chest and fluoridation of water.

[redacted] received correspondence from individuals and organizations which were anti-Semitic in nature and opposed universal military training and the United Nations.

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Referenced report of 1/16/56 reflected that confidential informants had received no information that the NBSMA was then active.

On 10/20/58, [redacted], who has furnished reliable information in the past and who receives literature from numerous pacifist-type organizations and has a wide knowledge of activities in the Philadelphia area, advised SA MARION B. HUMMEL that while she had heard mention of the organization in the past, she had no information concerning past or present activities of the group. The informant added that during the past year or two she has not even heard the organization mentioned.

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The only information reflected in the Philadelphia file regarding captioned organization in addition to that already known to the Bureau is the following:

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On 3/1/57, the Chicago Office received a letter dated 2/27/57 from [redacted] Chicago Heart Association, Chicago, Ill., enclosing leaflets entitled "Facts Regarding The Community Chest" and "Funds Raised By Nine Agencies." At the bottom of this leaflet was the notation, "Reprint from National Blue Star Mothers of America, 5200 Warren Street, Philadelphia, Pa."

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AMERICAN FLAG COMMITTEE

OO - Philadelphia
Bufile - 105-11214
PH File - 105-426

Rereps SA ROY L. TUSSEY dated 1/24/56, 7/13/56, 1/9/57, and 5/22/57 captioned as above; rerep SA ROBERT J. LUMPKIN dated 7/20/55; rerep SA MARION B. HUMMEL dated 11/29/57 at Philadelphia captioned "WILLIAM HENRY MAC FARLAND, JR., INTERNAL SECURITY - S," Bufile 105-7857, Philadelphia File 105-426, origin Philadelphia.

Referenced report of SA MARION B. HUMMEL dated 11/29/57 captioned "WILLIAM HENRY MAC FARLAND, JR.," reflected that MAC FARLAND, the publisher of the "American Flag Committee Newsletter," continued to reside at 876 Granite Street, Philadelphia, and derives his livelihood from public speaking. Instant report reflected that "the American Flag Committee Newsletter" had been temporarily suspended, and it was expected that the publication would be back in circulation by 12/57 or early 1958.

It is noted that the Philadelphia file concerning MAC FARLAND reflects that he is Executive Chairman of the American Flag Committee. The Philadelphia files contain no record of activity on his part or on the part of the American Flag Committee since referenced report of SA MARION B. HUMMEL.

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On 10/21/58, [] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised SA MARION B. HUMMEL that informant had contacted W. HENRY MAC FARLAND, JR., on 10/20/58. MAC FARLAND advised that he had printed no issues of the "American Flag Committee Newsletter" for some time due to great financial reverses. He presently resides at 2834 Allman Street, Philadelphia. He stated that his father had recently died and, as a result, the family home on Granite Street was sold.

MAC FARLAND said that he plans to issue a circular in the near future and that this circular will deal with the National Mental Health Association with headquarters in Washington, D. C., which he claims is providing drugs to school children to their

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detriment. Specifically, it will deal with the public health set-up in Montgomery County, Pa.

At no time did MAC FARLAND make any anti-Semitic remarks nor did he mention the recent bombings of synagogues in the various sections of the nation.

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[] has been alerted to maintain contact with MAC FARLAND and to report any pertinent information concerning him.

In the absence of information indicating MAC FARLAND or the committee which he heads is engaging in any anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, or racial agitation, active investigation is not contemplated.

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The Philadelphia Office is launching investigations of the White Citizens Council of the District of Columbia, aka., which investigation will be directed to identifying the individual or group operating in the vicinity of 44th and Locust Streets, Philadelphia. In addition, the master file concerning [] has been opened and intensive investigation directed toward ascertaining his current and past activities and associations. Every effort will be made to submit reports each thirty days until the Bureau advises to the contrary or until the group or individuals under investigation have definitely been eliminated as having any connection with the bombings. Significant developments in the cases will be promptly furnished the Bureau by whatever means of communication deemed warranted.

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In regard to the National Blue Star Mothers of America and the American Flag Committee, trash covers are being placed on the residence of MAC FARLAND (AFC) and 5200 Warren Street, Philadelphia, (NBSMA) in an effort to determine present activities of these groups, if any. Consideration is being given to placement of additional trash covers on former officers, NBSMA.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-245)
FROM: SAC, NEW HAVEN (62-2051)
RE: BOMBING CASES HAVING APPARENT
RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS BASIS

*Re: Nationalist Party
IS-X*

ReBuairtel dated 10/20/58 and 10/22/58 instructing that each office have a proposed plan of action which can be immediately activated in these cases; also that files be reviewed and a list of potential suspects who may be affiliated with any "hate group."

This office has set up a proposed plan to carry out the implementation of investigative responsibilities on the basis of a major case plan of operation as outlined in Buairtel dated 10/22/58. As the Bureau has been previously advised, there has been no known activity of "hate groups" in these matters in the State of Connecticut, nor has there been any bombings or bombing attempts in Connecticut in recent years.

With respect to maintaining a list of potential suspects, who may be affiliated with any "hate groups," the files of this office reflect that WEST HOOKER, who resided in Greenwich, Conn., in January 1957, was formerly head of the Nationalist Party in New York City, but withdrew from this organization in November 1956 and was reported as inactive thereafter. A current investigation of HOOKER's activities in accordance with Buairtel dated 10/22/58 is being instituted by this office.

It is noted that the New York Office is OO in the case entitled "Nationalist Party, was., IS - X," and that previously reported information on WEST HOOKER appears in that case. (NY File 105-10615 and Bufile 105-33261). Future reports on HOOKER's activities will be reported in the latter case. Since HOOKER's activities in the above regard were centered in New York City in the past, the NYO will be kept advised.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM * UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-245)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (98-1890)

SUBJECT: BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 11-10-58

ReBuairtel 10/16/58, requesting a review of office indices and files concerning the organizations set forth below:

(One information copy is being furnished the Bureau for its files on the organizations set forth below.)

16-Bureau (REGISTERED)
3-Atlanta (INFO)(REGISTERED)
(BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS ...)
(100-4976 CAJP)
(CU)
3-Indianapolis (INFO)(REGISTERED)
(BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS ...)
(105-975 NSRP)
(61-5 SSLA)
3-Los Angeles (INFO)(REGISTERED)
(105-6075 BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS ...)
(100-7945 CNC)
(105-666 WIS)
2-Newark (INFO)(REGISTERED)
(BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS ...)
(CEA)
4-New York (INFO)(REGISTERED)
(BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS ...)
(ACAWC)
(105-6112 NRR)
(NP)
2-St. Louis (INFO)(REGISTERED)
(BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS ...)
(100-10834 NCPA)
2-Washington Field (INFO)(REGISTERED)
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(100-33226 WCCDC)
3-Chicago
105-3805 CPC
105-2790 NCP

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<u>Organization</u>	<u>Bufile</u>	<u>Office of Origin</u>
American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture	105-22853	New York
Christian Anti-Jewish Party	65-15743	Atlanta
Christian Educational Association of Union, New Jersey	105-9621	Newark
Christian Nationalist Crusade, aka.	62-43818	Los Angeles
Christian Patriots Crusade, aka.	105-53447	Chicago
Confederate Underground	105-70219	Atlanta
National Citizens Protective Association	105-16510	St. Louis
National Renaissance Party	62-83296	New York
National States Rights Party	105-66233	Indianapolis
✓ Nationalist Party, aka.	105-33261	New York
Nationalist Conservative Party	105-39509	Chicago
Silver Shirt Legion of America	61-7587	Indianapolis
White Citizens Council of District of Columbia, aka.	100-423395	Washington Field
"Williams Intelligence Summary"	105-10091	Los Angeles

A review of the files of the Chicago Office concerning the above-mentioned organizations disclosed no pertinent information that the office of origin is not already in possession.

For the information of the Indianapolis Office, who is office of origin in the National States Rights Party, Chicago will in the near future complete its investigation in this matter.

For the information of the Bureau, Chicago previously advised under the above caption that cases had been opened on the Christian Patriots Crusade and the Nationalist Conservative Party with Chicago as origin. Reports will be submitted in the near future on these organizations.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

***** UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DATE: NOV 19 1958

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-245)

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (62-1673)

SUBJECT: BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES
RACIAL MATTERS

Reference is made to Bureau airtel dated October 16, 1958, requesting a review of office indices and files concerning the following organizations, which data should be furnished to the Office of Origin as well as the Bureau in the event it has not previously been done. Reference is also made to Atlanta letter of November 14, 1958.

Sufficient copies for Bureau files on each organization are being furnished as well as the Bureau's main file as captioned above.

AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR THE
ADVANCEMENT OF WESTERN CULTURE
Bureau File 105-22853
NEW YORK:00

NATIONAL RENAISSANCE
PARTY
Bureau File 62-83296
NEW YORK:00

The Atlanta indices in regard to the American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture (ACAWC) reflect that all pertinent matter regarding this organization is available to the New York Office; however, it is noted therein that [redacted]

[redacted] had contacted the ACACW in May 1953. During this particular period of time the ACACW was in the process of appointing Regional Directors. It is unknown whether [redacted] was a Regional Director of this organization; however, the following data is being furnished the New York Office regarding [redacted] This is the only pertinent data available in the Atlanta files which is not also available to the Office of Origin and the Bureau.

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Files reflect that on July 31, 1956, [redacted] of the Southern Regional Office of the Anti-Defamation League furnished SA ALDEN F. MILLER photostatic copies of four letters from [redacted]

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See Page 1a for additional copies

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COPIES:

- 6-Chicago (1- Bomb Survey File) (1- Nationalist Conservative Party) (1- WILLIAM B. WERNECKE)
(1- American Humane Society)
(1- 105-3907)
(1- Christian Patriots Crusade)
- 4-Indianapolis (1- Bomb Survey File)
(1- National States Rights Party)
(1- Silver Shirt Legion of America)
(1- WILLIAM DUDLEY PELLE)
- 4-Los Angeles (1- Bomb Survey File)
(1- Christian Nationalist Crusade)
(1- WILLIAMS Intelligence Summary)
(1- ROBERT H. WILLIAMS)
- 2-Newark (1- Bomb Survey File)
(1- Christian Educational Association)
- 6-New York (1- Bombings and Attempted Bombings)
(2- American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture)
(2- National Renaissance Party)
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- 2-St. Louis (1- Bomb Survey File)
(1- National Citizens Protective Association)
- 3-WFO (1 - Bomb Survey File)
(1- White Citizens Council, District of Columbia)
(1- FREDERICK JOHN KASPER)
- 15-Atlanta
(1- 62-1673)
(1- 100-4976, Christian Anti-Jewish Party)
(1- 105-843, Confederate Underground)
(1- 105-195, American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture)
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(1- 105-new, Nationalists Conservative Party)
(1- 61-4, Silver Shirt Legion of America)
(1- 105-544, White Citizens Council, District of Columbia)
(1- 105-new, Williams Intelligence Summary)

[] to one Mr. MADOLE of the National Renaissance Party.
These letters are as follows:

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1. Undated letter from [] to Mr. MADOLE, thanking him for LeBlanc pamphlets. Letter indicates [] was National Renaissance Party, Georgia Chairman, and that he was distributing pamphlets to his mailing list and also to the local libraries. [] further indicated that he was working on the "STONER" group (apparently referring to J. B. STONER, leader of the Christian Anti-Jewish Party); however, indicated unable to make contact with them, nor had he been able to obtain or learn anything about membership of the Christian Anti-Jewish Party. [] indicates that when STONER makes another speech in Chattanooga, Tennessee, he will photograph members identified by their arm band, and will attempt to identify those persons and make contact by that means. [] also indicates that one [] has assured [] of support toward starting a party branch in New Orleans and instructed [] to write to one KENT COURTNEY. [] also requests a bulletin on racial segregation when it is printed, and indicates that he forwarded samples of literature distributed by various Southern groups on segregation.

2. Letter of [] dated February 13, 1955, addressed to JAMES H. MADOLE, National Director of the National Renaissance Party. In this letter [] identifies himself as the Georgia Party Chairman of the National Renaissance Party - Elite Guard. [] states that he has been in contact with [] however, contemplates discontinuing further contact with [] because [] attempted to win [] away from the National Renaissance Party, so that he might join the Christian Anti-Jewish Party. [] according to [] indicated that [] belonged to another political party which has no working agreement with the Arch Leader of the Christian Anti-Jewish Party, therefore, he cannot give him any information. Secondly, [] indicated to [] that he has full knowledge of the National Renaissance Party's official policy, and that it is too weak on the Jewish problem. [] comments that if [] has full knowledge of the National Renaissance Party's basic problem, he must not understand articles in the basic program, as they are as strong as you can get on the Jewish problem. [] stated that []

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only wants to send all Jews to Palestine. [] further advised that he thought the Christian Anti-Jewish Party organization just talks, and further he had never heard of this Christian Anti-Jewish Party group except for a small item in the Chattanooga paper wherein it was reported that one J. B. STONER made a speech on the Courthouse steps.

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[] also indicated that he was enclosing with his letter a drawing of a pistol stock, and stated he would like to know if the elite guard has one, and if so, would it be possible for [] to borrow it. [] stated he was continuing to contact persons whose addresses MADOLE had previously forwarded to them.

3. Letter dated March 1, 1955, to Mr. MADOLE, which acknowledged receipt of MADOLE's letter of February 27. [] comments regarding the difficulty in winning some of STONER's followers over to "us", and that he desired instructions on the basic methods to go about this conversion. [] indicated that MADOLE thought STONER's followers could be used for the common good of the National Renaissance Party, just as well as the Christian Anti-Jewish Party. [] further advised that [] had indicated they had membership of the Christian Anti-Jewish Party in Atlanta, Chattanooga, and Birmingham areas. [] indicates that he has corresponded with [] in Pennsylvania on two occasions, and that she had informed him she was planning on working with a group in Philadelphia. [] has contacted [] and [] is attempting to contact COURTNEY in New Orleans. [] has promised [] his support, and if he can obtain the assistance of COURTNEY, should not find it too difficult to establish a New Orleans Branch of the National Renaissance Party. Further, [] requested the Southern Chairman's name and address, of the National Renaissance Party.

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4. Letter dated May 13, 1955, to Mr. MADOLE. [] in this letter, states that he can report progress toward organizing; also indicates that he is in contact with the Southern Nationalists whose addresses were previously furnished to him by MADOLE. Three of these addresses were located in Atlanta, Georgia. [] indicates that he still has been unable to contact members of STONER's Christian Anti-Jewish Party. [] requested from MADOLE books on wire tapping, and a list of the

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equipment necessary for tapping phone wires. [] inquires regarding []

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The Southern Regional Office of the Anti-Deformation League also made available the following background regarding []. He was born March 15, 1934, married, and lives with his wife in a modest section. In early 1955, [] broke into a local school, tore down pictures, threw ink and oil over the walls and desks, tore down the Georgia and American flags, disfigured and destroyed them, tore various pages from the Bible in the school, and in general did much damage to the property. In 1955, his reputation was not considered good, nor was his work record satisfactory; however, he gains his livelihood through the steady employment of his wife, who works in a textile mill.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF UNION, NEW JERSEY
Bureau File 105-9621
NEWARK:00

A review of Atlanta files fails to reflect any additional pertinent information available in this office which is not already in the possession of the Bureau and the Office of Origin.

CHRISTIAN NATIONALIST CRUSADE
Bureau File 62-43818
LOS ANGELES:00

A review of pertinent indices, Atlanta Office, regarding the Christian Nationalist Crusade, reflect that on June 8, 1958, [], U. S. Army Engineer Corps, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that he had been contacted by one Mrs. MAX ANDREWS, 693 Sunny Brook Drive, Decatur, Georgia, and that she furnished him a leaflet and requested his presence at an organizational meeting of a group known as the Christian Nationalist Crusade. [] advised that later in June of 1958, he had been contacted again by Mrs. ANDREWS, at which time she indicated her efforts at organizing a group in behalf of the Christian Nationalist Crusade had met with little success.

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On August 26, 1958, [redacted] advised SA [redacted] (original source, Atlanta file [redacted]), that one [redacted] had advised him that GERALD SMITH, who resides on the West Coast of the United States, was actively engaged in raising money on the West Coast which was to be utilized for the defense for [redacted] and others who were arrested by the Atlanta, Georgia, Police Department, for picketing activities of the Atlanta Journal, an Atlanta, Georgia daily newspaper. The picketing activities of [redacted] referred to occurred on July 27, 1958, and involved five individuals who were carrying signs bearing Anti-Jewish statements.

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The Atlanta Office of the FBI on October 23, 1958, received an undressed letter in an envelope which letter was captioned "Atlanta Scandal". The contents of this paper purportedly were written by GERALD L. K. SMITH, and states as follows:

"A very disturbing report has come to my desk. Five young patriots in the State of Georgia decided that they had their stomachs full of Jew-created, Jew-slanted news stories concerning what is going on in the world. Two of the worst newspapers in the United States are in the City of Atlanta. They do not reflect the Southern tradition. It is believed by many keen observers that both of these journals are manipulated by people who do not have the best interests of the South at heart.

"These five young men, representing a body of patriots, decided to picket these newspapers with signs protesting Jewish influence. They were picked up, railroaded, and sentenced to 30 days in jail. I have the names and addresses of the young men, but I am not going to give them to the public because I do not want them to be the victims of increased persecution. It is my understanding that they were released under bond and are appealing their cases. We propose to go into the matter thoroughly and if the situation is what it seems to be, we shall advise our friends to come to their aid, comfort and encouragement of these young men who have only been denied their civil liberties, but have become the victims of Jew-controlled tyranny.

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"Atlanta is a bad city. It has many bad people in it. The politicians in that city are inclined to be the puppets of the secret Jewish machine. Do not judge the State of Georgia by what goes on in the City of Atlanta. The politicians of Atlanta have always fought the Talmadges and the people who have come to the defense of Southern tradition. Very frequently the Negro politicians of Atlanta are under the direct manipulation of New York Jews as well as Atlanta Jews.

There are no other pertinent references to this organization in the Atlanta indices of which the Bureau and Office of Origin have not been previously advised.

CHRISTIAN PATRIOTS CRUSADE, Aka
American Christian Patriots Party
Bureau File 105-53447
CHICAGO:00

A review of Atlanta indices fails to reflect any pertinent information regarding this organization which has not been previously furnished to the Bureau and Chicago, Office of Origin in this investigation.

NATIONAL CITIZENS PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION
Bureau File 105-16510
ST. LOUIS:00

A review of Atlanta files fails to reflect any additional information regarding the above captioned organization not previously furnished to the Bureau and Office of Origin, St. Louis.

NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
Bureau File 105-66233
INDIANAPOLIS:00

A check of the Atlanta indices reflects that there are numerous references regarding the National States Rights

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Party as well as its preceding organization, The United White Party. The Bureau and the Office of Origin were furnished copies of Atlanta report dated November 6, 1958, of SAC N. R. JOHNSON, captioned "WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, ETAL, Bombing of The Temple, 1589 Peachtree Road, N. W., Atlanta, Georgia, 10/12/58, INFORMATION CONCERNING," Atlanta file 62-1672.

For the information of the Bureau and Indianapolis Office, all pertinent data in Atlanta files was summarized in above report and is located on pages 222 to 277. Office of Origin was furnished copies of this report for their file 105-975. The information in this report attributed to [redacted] was actually furnished by Atlanta Security Informant [redacted]. This informant's identity will be divulged to State Authorities for use in a state trial regarding the Atlanta Temple bombing which is on the court calendar for the first week in December 1958. Above referenced pages in Atlanta report specify the location of the original source of information. b6 b7c b7D

Due to the voluminous nature of information furnished regarding this organization by the informant, no attempt is being made to restate this information as it involves some fifty pages of typing, and is available to both the Bureau and Office of Origin, Indianapolis.

The Atlanta Office will duplicate the original informant's reports relating to this organization, and upon completion of the duplication of these informant reports, they will be furnished to the Office of Origin as these reports may contain sidelight issues which in their fragmentary nature may be of value to Indianapolis in conducting its intensified investigation of the National States Rights Party. Upon completion of the duplication of informant reports, they will be furnished to Indianapolis. For further assistance to the Bureau and Indianapolis in locating specific information contained in referenced Atlanta report, on 11/14/58, a detailed index was submitted to the Bureau as well as the Indianapolis Office, assisting in the location of pertinent information in regard to individuals mentioned as well as organizations.

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NATIONALIST PARTY
Bureau File 105-33261
NEW YORK:00

A check of Atlanta indices reflects that all pertinent data regarding this organization has previously been furnished to the Office of Origin as well as to the Bureau.

NATIONALIST CONSERVATIVE PARTY
Bureau File 105-39509
CHICAGO:00

A check of the Atlanta indices fails to reflect any pertinent information relating to the Nationalist Conservative Party which is not already in possession of the Bureau and Office of Origin. In regard to WILLIAM B. WERNECKE, who reportedly is the founder of the Nationalist Conservative Party, the Bureau's and Chicago's attention is directed to Chicago's letter of March 29, 1957, captioned "The American Humane Society, IS-X", Chicago file 105-3907. Enclosed with Chicago's letter was a blank memorandum regarding the American Humane Society, and contents of the memorandum indicate the organization ostensibly had as its purpose a Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Inquiry in 1956 failed to reflect little, if any, activity toward this organization's stated goal; however, it was noted that of a group of individuals carried on the letterhead stationery of this organization identified as Advisory Board Directors, a number had previous fascist group activities or hate type organization activities. Included in this group of Advisory Board Directors was one J. B. STONER, the founder and Arch Leader of the Christian Anti-Jewish Party in Atlanta, Georgia.

On October 23, 1958, [redacted] Southern Regional Office of the Anti-Defamation League, Atlanta, Georgia advised SA ALDEN F. MILLER that [redacted] had visited the farm of WILLIAM B. WERNECKE near Chicago, Illinois, during 1957, at which time [redacted] had received instructions in the use and handling of dynamite on WERNECKE's farm.

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The reliability of the above information is unknown as the informant who furnished this information to the Anti-Deformation League, is unknown to [REDACTED]

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It should be noted that [REDACTED] received consideration as a possible suspect in the bombing of the Clinton, Tennessee, School during October 1958.

SILVER SHIRT LEGION OF AMERICA
Bureau File 61-758
INDIANAPOLIS:00

A review of the Atlanta indices regarding this organization and WILLIAM DUDLEY PELLE, reflects that all pertinent information in Atlanta files has previously been furnished to the Bureau and Office of Origin.

WHITE CITIZENS COUNCIL OF THE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA; Aka
Washington White Citizens Council
Bureau File 100-423395
WFO:00

A review of Atlanta indices reflects that all pertinent data concerning above captioned matter has previously been furnished to the Bureau and WFO. The Atlanta Office has also furnished all pertinent data to the Bureau and Office of Origin as it related to JOHN KASPER, except that on August 1, 1958, [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] met JOHN KASPER upon his release from the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary, and that [REDACTED] had accompanied KASPER that date to Tallahassee, Florida.

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For WFO's information, it is to be noted that [REDACTED] has been indicted in Fulton County, Georgia; and is presently in custody awaiting trial for his connections in conjunction with the bombing of the Atlanta Temple on October 12, 1958.

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WILLIAMS INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY
Bureau File 105-10091
LOS ANGELES:00

A review of the Atlanta indices reflects that all pertinent information regarding the Williams Intelligence Summary as well as ROBERT H. WILLIAMS, has been previously furnished to the Bureau and Office of Origin.

The above is the results of Atlanta indices searches conducted prior to November 5, 1958, on the indicated organizations. Results of Atlanta indices search as it related to the Christian Anti-Jewish Party, and the Confederate Underground will be reported by the Atlanta Office in its periodic reports submitted under those captions.

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Reporting Office NEW HAVEN	Office of Origin NEW YORK	Date 12/4/58	Investigative Period 11/6,7,10,12,17, 18,22,24,26; 12/1/58
TITLE OF CASE NATIONALIST PARTY, Aka.		Report made by FRANK B. WATTS	Typed By: RA
		CHARACTER OF CASE RACIAL MATTERS	

Synopsis:

Informant advised Nationalist Party was an anti-semitic, neo-fascist organization, formed in New York City, in 1954, by WEST HOOKER. HOOKER and family now residing Milan, Italy, where he is employed as President of Seven-Up Bottling Co.

Informant advised HOOKER stated since he has obtained franchise for Seven-Up Bottling Co. in Italy and Germany, he intends to remain in Italy permanently.

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DETAILS:

AT GREENWICH, CONNECTICUT

T-1, on November 3, 1958, advised that the Nationalist Party was an anti-semitic, neo-fascist organization formed in New York City, in 1954, by WEST HOOKER, a notorious anti-semitic.

T-2 advised on November 10, 1958, that DE WEST HOOKER, also known to him as WES HOOKER and WEST HOOKER, and his family moved from #1 Intervale

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1 - Chicago (info) (Nationalist Conservative Party)			
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Place, Greenwich, Connecticut, on July 10, 1958, and had requested at that time a permanent change of address as c/o Mrs. J. P. HOOKER, 115 Illinois Road, Lake Forest, Illinois.

T-3, on November 26, 1958, stated that HOOKER and his family, consisting of [redacted] and [redacted], left the United States in July, 1958, destined for Milan, Italy, to obtain permanent residence in view of the fact that HOOKER is President of the Seven-Up Bottling Company in Italy and Germany. This informant stated that information has come to his attention indicating that all mail for the HOOKER family has been forwarded to HOOKER's mother, in Lake Forest, Illinois. This informant continued that HOOKER's home at #1 Intervale Place, Greenwich, Connecticut, is presently being rented, but plans have been made to sell this home by the HOOKER family. He stated that to the best of his knowledge, HOOKER has no intentions of returning to Greenwich, Connecticut.

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T-4, on November 26, 1958, advised that since July 10, 1958, HOOKER and his family have resided at Via Olmetto #3, Milan, Italy. T-4 stated that DE WEST HOOKER is President of the Seven-Up Bottling Company in Italy and has recently obtained franchise for distribution of Seven-Up in Italy and Germany. T-4 continued that HOOKER left the United States for Italy the early part of 1957 in order to set up this business and as a result has spent most of 1957 and 1958 in Italy, returning only on short infrequent trips. T-4 stated that [redacted]

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This information can not be made public without the usual proceedings following the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

T-5, on November 24, 1958, advised that DE WEST HOOKER has been in Italy most of 1957 and 1958, having moved his family there in July, 1958. He stated that HOOKER and his family returned to Greenwich, Connecticut, approximately two weeks ago and stayed at a local hotel for approximately two days, and then returned to Italy. He stated that during a conversation with HOOKER, he learned that this trip to Greenwich was solely for the purpose of determining the status of [redacted] share in her father's estate. According to T-5, HOOKER told him that since he has now obtained a franchise in both Italy and Germany for the Seven-Up Bottling Company, he intended to remain in Italy permanently.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to

File No.

105-1572

510 Trust Company Building
New Haven 10, Connecticut
December 4, 1958

Re: **NATIONALIST PARTY, Aka.**
RACIAL MATTERS

Reference is made to a report of Special Agent FRANK B. WATTS, dated December 4, 1958, at New Haven, captioned as above.

T-1 has furnished reliable information in the past and received his information from a source who he termed reliable, but he did not wish to disclose the identity of this source.

All other informants utilized in referenced report have furnished reliable information in the past.

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NATIONALIST PARTY, Aka.
RACIAL MATTERS

Enclosed herewith are five copies of a report of SA FRANK B. WATTS, and five copies of a letterhead memo, both dated 12/4/58, at New Haven, captioned as above.

REFERENCES

Bu Airtel to all SACs, dated 10/16/58, captioned "Bombing and Attempted Bombings in Southern Communities - Racial Matters".

New Haven Airtel to Bu, dated 11/3/58, captioned "Bombing Cases Having Apparent Racial or Religious Basis".

New Haven letter to Bu, dated 11/25/58, captioned "Bombing and Attempted Bombing - Racial Matters".

Report of SA JAMES D. BRODY, at New York, dated 11/28/58, captioned "National States Rights Party, aka - Racial Matters".

ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

One copy of this report is being furnished for the information of Chicago in view of HOOKER's forwarding address and for information re Nationalist Conservative Party (Chicago origin), Bufile #105-39509, which organization has had contacts with

- 2 - Bureau (encl.-10) (RM)
- 1 - Chicago (info) (Nationalist Conservative Party) (RM)
- ② - New York (105-10615) (RM) *4 encl*
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DE WEST HOOKER as referred to in Bu Airtel dated 10/16/58.

In view of the fact that investigation has reflected that HOOKER has permanent residence and employment as President of Seven-Up Bottling Co., Milan, Italy, and his reported intent to remain permanently in Italy, no further investigation is contemplated by WFO.

INFORMANTS

T symbols have been utilized in enclosed report only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

<u>Identity of Source</u>	<u>Date/ Activity</u>	<u>Agent</u>	<u>Location</u>	
T-1 	Info re HOOKER's connection with Nationalist Party, aka		105-1985-6	b7D
T-2 (By Request)		SA FRANK B. WATTS	Instant Report	b6 b7C b7D
T-3 (By Request)		SA FRANK B. WATTS	Instant Report	b6 b7C b7D
T-4 (By Request)		SA FRANK B. WATTS	Instant Report	b6 b7C b7D

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**SA FRANK
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 10/23/58

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: NATIONALIST PARTY, aka U.S. Nationalist
Party, Nationalist Youth League
IS-X;

The title of this case was
opened in error as the Nationalist
Youth League on 9/15/58.

The assignment made should be
changed to indicate the correct title
of Nationalist Party, aka IS-X;
Racial Matter and reassigned to
a Section 7-2 agents.

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NATIONALIST PARTY, aka
United States Nationalist Party
IS - X; RACIAL MATTERS
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ReBuairtel 10/16/58, entitled "BOMBINGS AND
ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES, RACIAL
MATTERS."

Miami files contain no references to this
organization.

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Enclosed for Baltimore and Richmond are two copies of FD 302 reflecting interview with [REDACTED] which interview contains comments concerning [REDACTED] Baltimore subject, and G. LINCOLN ROCKWELL, Richmond subject.

Additional copies disseminated to pertinent NYO case files.

2 - Baltimore (1- 100-) (ARROWSMITH) (1- 100-21191) (Encls.2) (RM)
2 - Richmond (1- 62-1345) (ROCKWELL) (Encls.2) (RM)
1 - New York (105-28550) (MRP) (412)
1 - New York (105-6112) (MRP) (412)
1 - New York (105-10615) (NYL) (412)
1 - New York (105-6129) (MADELE) (311)
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[] advised that he had never had any connection with the National States Rights Party, although he had heard of it and had read articles concerning it in newspapers. He said that the Nationalist Party or Nationalist Youth League was an organization which he believed he had heard JAMES MADOLE mention, but concerning which he possessed no information.

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[] stated that JAMES MADOLE is a New York City resident who is the head of the National Renaissance Party. He said that he had attended one meeting of the National Renaissance Party at MADOLE'S apartment, 10 West 90th Street, New York City, in the fall of 1958. [] advised that he considers MADOLE to be an intelligent, but fanatical anti-Semite who blames Jews for all of the world's ills. [] stated that he once heard MADOLE say that he, MADOLE, believed that the solution of the "Jewish problem" would be the "sterilization of all Jews." [] advised that he does not agree with MADOLE, but rather believes that if there is a "Jewish problem" the solution is to have the Jewish population absorbed by the "Gentile population." [] advised that he does not consider himself to be an anti-semitic and said that he has great admiration for the abilities and talents of the Jewish people. [] said that he considers MADOLE to be a "nut" with whom he wants no further contact.

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[] stated that in July, 1958, he and 11 other individuals, whom he declined to identify, travelled by bus

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Interview with [] File # 105-32651
on 1/23/59 at 201 E. 69th St., NYC Date dictated 1/29/59
by Special Agent []/axg

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to Washington, D.C. He said that this group had been promised \$25.00 per day to participate in an "Anti-Communist Rally." [] said that upon arrival in Washington, D.C., the group went to a motel and went to bed. He said that this was a Friday night. On Saturday the group met two men, [], first name unknown, and LINCOLN ROCKWELL, and were presented with signs and posters with which they were instructed to picket the White House.

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[] said that when he saw the wording of the signs he realized for the first time that the picketing was to be an anti-Semitic demonstration, which would blame the Jewish people for the existence of Communism in the United States, rather than an anti-Communist rally.

[] stated that he told [] that he had been misled and would not participate in the demonstration. He said that [] then advised that anyone who did not participate would not be paid. [] said that he was then unemployed and badly in need of money. He said that for this reason he agreed to participate in the demonstration, although it was distasteful to him.

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[] advised that the picketing lasted about one and one-half hours and that this was his only activity while in Washington, D.C. He stated that he received \$50.00 for the two days which he was there and that he returned to New York City on Sunday night. [] stated that if he had known the true nature of the demonstration before leaving New York he would not have gone to Washington in the first place.

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[] stated that because he believed that the other individuals involved in the picketing were "duped" just as he was, he would not furnish the names of those individuals. [] stated that he did not want to implicate any other person.

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[] advised that it appeared to him that LINCOLN ROCKWELL, at the instigation and with the final assistance of [] organized and prepared this demonstration. [] described ROCKWELL as an individual who, while he may be wrong, is honest and sincere in his beliefs. [] said that ROCKWELL is an anti-Semite but is not fanatical.

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[] characterized [] as a wealthy anti-Semite who "wants to pay someone else to do his dirty work." [] said that he regretted ever having anything to do with [] as he considers him to be a disreputable person who cannot be trusted. [] advised that he had no information connecting either ROCKWELL or [] with the bombing of the Jewish Temple in Atlanta, Georgia.

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[] stated that he could furnish no information regarding bombing of the Jewish Temple in Atlanta in October, 1958, and had no idea as to whom any logical suspects might be. He stated he could think of no one who would resort to such violence to further their particular aims.

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[] said that as he had previously indicated, he does not consider himself to be an anti-Semite. He stated, however, that he does hold considerable resentment and dislike for many Negroes whom he has known in New York City. He said that in recent years he has spent considerable time studying eugenics and anthropology. He said that based on his readings he has concluded that Negro people are intellectually inferior to white people and always will be. [] stated that he believes that the Negro population would be better off if they returned to their native habitat in Africa. He said that with the knowledge they have gained in the United States they would be able to greatly assist the development of the backward population in Africa. [] stated that the Negro people in New York City were particularly offensive to him as they are "know it alls."

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[] stated that he detests New York City and most New York City residents whom he considers to be selfish and without consideration for their fellow man. He said that he had lived for five years in Iowa and had learned to enjoy the spaciousness of the country there as well as the particular qualities of the people who live there. He said that he was leaving New York City for Iowa or for the South to obtain a new or better life. He stated that he hoped to obtain work as a carpenter or an automobile mechanic.

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SA [] (412)

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NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
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Enclosed for each file indicated below is one copy of FD 302 reflecting interview with CHARLES JOSEPH DOMMER, Sr. One copy of this letter is designated for 105-32652, case file re DOMMER to show dissemination made.

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- 1- New York (105-32652) (412)
- 1- New York (105-6112) (NRP) (412)
- 1- New York (105-10615) (NYL) (412)
- 1- New York (105-6129) (MADOLE) (311)
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
INTERVIEW REPORT

Date 2/20/59

CHARLES JOSEPH DOMMER, SR., advised that he is self-employed as a sign painter and permanently resides at 232 Jersey Street, Staten Island, New York, which premise he also uses for business purposes.

DOMMER stated that he is not familiar with the activities of the NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY (NSRP) and could furnish no information regarding it, having never heard of it.

DOMMER said that he was familiar with the NATIONALIST YOUTH LEAGUE (NYL), which he described as an organization formed three or four years ago in New York City but which is no longer in existence. DOMMER said that the NYO was organized by WEST HOOKER and it went out of existence when HOOKER went to Italy several years ago. He said that it has never been reactivated to the best of his knowledge.

DOMMER stated that he formerly resided in Yorkville and heard about the NYL there. He said that at the time it was his understanding that the NYL was an organization of anti-Communist youth. He said that he became interested in the NYL for this reason. DOMMER advised that he visited the office of the NYL in New York City, exact location not recalled, but believed to be in the mid 80's in Manhattan, because he wanted to be of some assistance to the young members of the NYL. He advised that after several contacts with these individuals, he realized that they were merely irresponsible youths and appeared to be interested only in causing trouble rather than engaging in any anti-Communist activities. DOMMER stated that he thereafter lost interest in the NYL and had no further contact with its members.

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Interview with CHARLES JOSEPH DOMMER File # 105-32652
232 Jersey Street,
on 2/12/59 at Staten Island, NY Dictated 2/17/59

by Special Agents JAMES D. BRODY and :nmn

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DOMMER advised that he knew the NATIONAL RENAISSANCE PARTY (NRP) to be an organization sponsored by JAMES MADOLE. He said that he did not think the NRP was much of an organization as MADOLE seemed to be about the only active member. DOMMER said that he had attended several NRP meetings at MADOLE's apartment, 10 West 90th Street, New York City. DOMMER advised that these meetings had been attended by about three to six individuals, including MADOLE, and that he believed most of those in attendance came to ascertain the nature of MADOLE's activities or from curiosity. He said that he believed that certain Jewish organizations in New York City are aware of MADOLE's activities and the NRP and that they consider him to be harmless.

DOMMER described MADOLE as a person who is violently opposed to Jews and as one who advocates complete elimination of the Jewish people. DOMMER stated that he does not believe MADOLE is capable of violence, however, despite his radical feeling with regard to the Jewish people. DOMMER advised that he, himself, deplores violence.

DOMMER said that he believes that the Jewish people, considering their very small numerical size, possess an excess of influence in world affairs and in the United States, particularly in the United States Government. DOMMER advised that he is not an atheist, that he attends church on Sunday and that he believes in the democratic processes inherent in the American system of government. DOMMER said that he feels that any action taken with regard to "the Jewish problem" should be taken in the American way and not through the use of force in any manner.

DOMMER stated that he could furnish no information regarding any foreign connections, affiliations or financial backing on the part of JAMES MADOLE and stated that he seriously doubted the existence of any such connection. DOMMER stated that because he disagrees with the extremely radical approach of MADOLE, he has avoided him and has in fact had no personal contact with him for about two or three years. DOMMER stated that he has seen MADOLE in recent months

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at meetings at NOLA STUDIOS and Steinway Hall in New York City, but that he has not spoken to him. DOMMER said that he does not like MADOLE and MADOLE does not like him. DOMMER characterized the meetings, mentioned above, as open affairs at which eugenics and anthropology were the topics of discussion. He said that MADOLE sometimes made anti-Jewish remarks during these meetings.

DOMMER advised that he had heard that there had been a demonstration in Washington, D.C., in July of 1958, but he stated that he did not go to Washington at this time and that he did not participate in the demonstration. He said that he had been severely crippled by arthritis at that time and that he could not move about very easily. DOMMER said that he did not know who was in charge of the demonstration and stated that since he did not participate and had no first hand knowledge of the demonstration, he did not wish to discuss it further.

DOMMER advised that he had no knowledge relating to the bombing of the Jewish Temple in Atlanta, Georgia, on October 12, 1958, and that he knew of no one he would consider to be a possible suspect.

DOMMER stated that since his recent move to Staten Island, he has confined his interests to the development of his sign painting business and no longer visits New York City proper. He said that he has a severe case of arthritis which further limits his movements and accordingly his participation in any activity, political or otherwise, has been greatly curtailed.

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TO : SAC (105-5759)

DATE: 3/31/59

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] N.Y. Public Library, 42nd St. and 5th Ave., NYC, [REDACTED] telephonically contacted the NYO at 11:50 AM today.

[REDACTED] stated that the police force at the library suspected the above captioned subject of stealing books from the library and last night they went to his home at [REDACTED] and searched and located many books which they consider to be property of the N.Y. Public Library. He further advised that in the course of the search they also found literature of the National Socialist Party and other literature which [REDACTED] considers to be of a subversive nature.

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[REDACTED] further said that the subject would be at the library at 2 PM today and he wanted an agent to be present at the interrogation as he felt the FBI has an interest in the case due to the literature found in the home of the subject.

[REDACTED] was informed that the FBI would not be able to send an agent to be present at this session at 2 PM

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A check of the indices reflected a [REDACTED] born in [REDACTED] at the same address as the person [REDACTED] referred to.

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Dear [Redacted]:

You have been very highly recommended to us by one of the bravest Nationalist leaders in the Washington, D. C. area.

As you know the enemy has wrapped itself like a snake around the American Nation and is strangling it to death. The time for talk has ended. We must now act!

We would like very much to arrange a personal meeting with you in order to discuss proposed constructive nationalist action in the New York area.

Upon hearing from you we will arrange a meeting place and time. All correspondence will be held in the strictest confidence.

For the New Order,

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 2/6/60

FROM : SA WARREN A. GORTON (12)

SUBJECT: DE WEST HOOKER

~~Racial Matter-Anti Semitic~~
Information concerning:

[redacted] who had recently furnished information on above captioned, telephoned this evening and stated that he learned that De West Hooker was the distributor for the Seven Up Co. (soda pop) in Northern Italy with headquarters in Rome.

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[redacted] stated that Hooker was in New York on business recently and stated he was carrying on his anti-semitic activities in Italy.

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TO :SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 1/16/60

FROM :SA WARREN A. GORTON (12)

SUBJECT: DeWest Hooker

Racial Matter-Information concerning:

At 10:45 PM. this date, [redacted]
 (phone: [redacted]) employed by [redacted]
 [redacted] (phone: [redacted]) came to
 the NYO and gave the following information: (desires name to be kept
 confidential):

[redacted] is a member of Town & Tennis Club, 430 E. 56th St., NYC,
 and a former member of the club, DeWest Hooker. is anti-semitic for
 the following reasons: Around four years ago [redacted] overheard Hooker
 say in the club bar that he had worked for the Music Corp. of America
 and was fired by a conspiracy of Jews. [redacted] played tennis with
 Hooker later and Hooker said there was a danger of Jews taking over
 the United States. Later, Hooker said he was an admirer of Hitler.
 Hooker had an anti-semitic incident with Peter Gimble and was thrown
 out of the club.

[redacted] said he does not know where Hooker resides but would
 furnish address at later date. Described Hooker as 6'2", age 35,
 190 pounds, blue eyes, blond hair, well built, married with 5 children.

[redacted] said that he has not seen Hooker for the past two years
 but pieced this information together during time he knew him from
 around 1956 to 1958. Part of this information comes from [redacted]

[redacted] and [redacted] (both members of Town & Tennis Club)
 and from what [redacted] himself has developed:

Hooker had a shop somewhere in the 80's (Yorkville section of
 New York City) and inside the shop was a picture of Hooker carrying
 a cross. Hooker had meetings of teen agers, membership of around
 180, card carrying, secret oaths, neo Nazi, whose prime purpose was
 that of anti-semitic activities and an underground against Jews.

[redacted] said that the recent incidents in New York and thruout
 the world against Jews made him reflect on the above information
 and he desired to call it to the attention of the FBI.

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- 4 organized United States Nationalist Party 11/54 in

Nyc. after failing to control National Renaissance Party per ^{anti-}Bernardine group

- 18 - Overlook Terrace, Larchmont

- 23 interested in US Nationalism and as organizer

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- 60 held anti Jewish meeting at Rogers Smith Hotel

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-10615)

DATE: 2/3/60

FROM : SA JAMES D. BRODY, 412

SUBJECT: NATIONALIST PARTY aka
Nationalist Youth League
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On 1/25/60, Detective [redacted] New York City Police Department, telephonically contacted SA JAMES D. BRODY and advised that his cousin, [redacted], a student at New York University, had recently received a letter in the mail bearing the return address of [redacted] which letter stated that [redacted] name had been recommended to the sender as one of the bravest Nationalist leaders in the Washington, D.C. area.

Detective [redacted] stated that his cousin, [redacted] was quite concerned about this letter since all the recent news in the papers concerning the rise of anti-Semitism and although he had no idea of the identity of the sender, felt that he would be involved in a situation in which he wanted no part. Detective [redacted] stated his cousin, [redacted] wished to speak to representative concerning this letter.

On 2/1/60, [redacted] was contacted by SA BRODY and [redacted] furnished SA BRODY with the above mentioned-letter which requested that [redacted] contact the sender relative to discussing "constructive nationalist action in the New York area".

This letter was sent from [redacted] dated 1/17/60, and signed "For the New Order", [redacted] [redacted] advised that this letter might have something to do with a visit he made to the home of WEST HOOKER, Larchmont, N.Y.

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[redacted] advised that approximately in 1955 he was a student at Christopher Columbus High School, Bronx, NY. and became acquainted with another student named [redacted]

[redacted] stated that [redacted] was very much interested in the history of the Nazi Party and in the life of

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ADOLPH HITLER. [] further advised that [] was constantly drawing swastikas and other symbols of the Nazi Party on bits of paper. [] stated that [] was always trying to interest him in the Nazi movement but he considered [] a "peculiar guy" and laughed off his attempts to interest [] in the Nazi movement.

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[] stated a short time after he met [], he was invited by [] to attend a party which was to be given by one, WEST HOCKER, leader of captioned organization, of which [] stated he was a member. [] stated that this party took place in HOCKER's home in Larchmont, N.Y. and was attended by about ten other teen agers, none of whose names he could recall, with the exception of [] stated that he never again saw any of the other individuals who attended this party.

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[] stated that HOCKER served soda and cake at the party and the discussion concerned the control that the Jews had over everything and many anti-Semitic remarks were made by those present.

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[] stated that he was unable specifically to recall all that was discussed at this party but did recall that they all spoke very vehemently against [] who at that time had a nightly broadcast from a restaurant in NYC.

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[] stated that when he heard the kind of topics that were discussed at HOCKER'S home, he became distressed and although asked by [] to attend other gatherings of captioned organizations he declined to do so because he felt that the group was surely headed for trouble. [] stated that he shortly after this meeting broke off his acquaintance with [] although he does recall that he read in the papers, a short time afterwards that [] was arrested by the NYCPD at City Island, NYC, for distributing anti-Semitic literature.

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[] stated that he never had any further contact with captioned organization, [] HOCKER, or any of the other individuals who were also present at the party he attended in HOCKER's house in Larchmont, NY.

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[] stated that he felt that the above-mentioned letter might have been sent by someone connected with captioned organization who had obtained his name some time in the past and was now using it in an attempt to organize some group along the same lines as the captioned organization.

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[] stated that he himself never had any interest in

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captioned organization and that he had contact with this organization on only one occasion when he was a high school/~~high~~ student and a "foolish kid".

[redacted] was unable to furnish any additional information concerning captioned organization, HOOKER or [redacted], stating that he has had no contact with any of them for a number of years.

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A review of NYC files contains several references to [redacted] in captioned file. These references indicate that [redacted] was a member of captioned organization and was arrested for distributing anti-Semitic leaflets printed by captioned organization. This arrest took place at City Island, NY on 7/18/56.

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On 1/25/60, [redacted]

[redacted] (conceal) advised SA BRCDY that [redacted] was registered to [redacted] since 7/29/58.

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It is noted that [redacted], along with two others, was arrested in Union Square, NYC, on 1/26/60, for disorderly conduct in connection with an anti-Semitic demonstration against a Rabbi. On 1/29/60, [redacted] and the others were sentenced to serve 90 days each in the NYC Jail on the above charge and is presently serving this sentence.

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On 2/1/60, [redacted] advised that [redacted] had visited LINCOLN ROCKWELL in the Washington, D.C. area on the week-end of 11/28/59 and had distributed some of ROCKWELL's literature in the Washington, D.C. area on that week-end. The informant further advised that [redacted] had brought back some of ROCKWELL's literature for distribution in the NYC area.

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On 11/3/58, [redacted] advised that the Nationalist party aka Nationalist Youth League was an anti-Semitic, neo-Fascist organization formed in 1954 in NYC by WEST HOOKER, who is a notorious anti-Semite. The informant further advised that this organization was inactive from 1956 to July, 1958 when LINCOLN ROCKWELL, associated with the National States Rights Party (NSRP) revived it to use in connection with the activities of the NSRP.

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According to [redacted], ROCKWELL had stated in the past, that he had taken over WEST HOOKER's boys in NYC for his own use.

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From the above it is logical to presume that [redacted] name was furnished to [redacted] by ROCKWELL. It is noted that [redacted] advised SA BRODY that he was not acquainted with the [redacted] had never heard of him and had never met him.

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NYO indices reflect no additional information identifiable with [redacted]

No further action is contemplated in this matter.

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